

## RELIEF FROM FRIGID WAVE FORECAST

ITALY MUSTERS  
MORE SOLDIERS  
AS BRITISH ACT

Nation Determined to "Follow  
Path Toward Goal Set  
By Mussolini"

## AUSTRIA TO AID DUCE

Warring Country to Be Ready  
for Any "Eventuality"  
Brought Against It

ROME, Dec. 21—(INS)—Word that Britain seeks mobilization of Mediterranean powers to fight Italy, if necessary, today brought decisive action from Premier Mussolini and his Fascist grand council aimed to clean up the Ethiopian campaign with dispatch and prepare for "any eventuality" in the Mediterranean.

Four thousand soldiers were on their way to Ethiopia in the transport Lombard, while the fast, mechanized Trento division stood ready to leave at a moment's notice for Libya, next to the Egyptian frontier, where Britain has ground and aerial reinforcements.

## Proceed Toward Goal

Enjoying a hearty laugh over the embarrassment caused Britain and France by the Paris peace proposals, the Fascist grand council after a three-hour meeting with Mussolini broke up at 1 a. m. today, vowed Italy's "inflexible determination" to proceed towards the "goal set by Mussolini for the destinies of the nation."

Now that the plan to give half of Ethiopia to Italy has been abandoned, Italy will not bother to reply at all to Paris and London, an official spokesman said today.

"Italy goes straight along on her own path," he emphasized. "If more proposals are made, Italy will study them, but meanwhile she marches straight ahead."

Assured that Austria would not participate in military measures against Italy, the government weakened the defense of the Brenner pass by withdrawing the Trento division of 12,000 men.

## Equipment Ready

Most of its motorized equipment is understood to be ready to sail from Leghorn, and the troops are (Continued on Page Six)

MRS. GEORGE BYERS DIES  
IN DELAWARE HOSPITAL

Mrs. Florence Byers, 40, wife of George Byers, 414 E. Mound-st., died Friday at 6:15 p. m. in Jane Case sanitarium, Delaware, of tuberculosis after a lengthy illness. She had been a patient in the sanitarium for nine weeks.

The funeral will be Monday at 2 p. m. in the United Brethren church, Rev. T. C. Harper officiating. Burial will be in Forest cemetery by M. S. Rinehart.

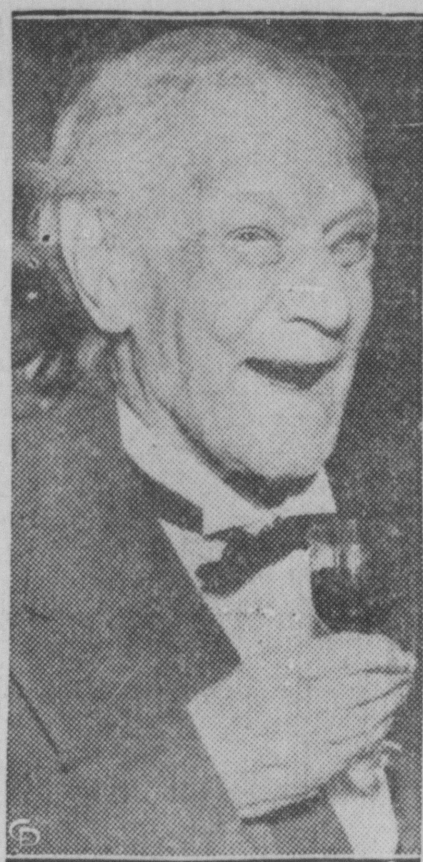
Mrs. Byers was born in Kentucky June 4, 1895 a daughter of John and Julia Artrip Deere. She married George Byers in this city Sept. 24, 1909.

Besides the husband, she is survived by two sons, George Edward and William Franklin, at home, and a half-sister, Mrs. Van Smith, this city.

2 shopping  
days until  
Christmas



## 100 Years Old



SMOKING, chewing and drinking wine never seemed to phase him during the first 100 years, so Abraham Greenburg, above, plans the same routine for the next 25 years—he hopes to live that long. Greenburg, a Chicagoan, is pictured celebrating his 100th birthday—with wine.

PEDESTRIAN HIT  
BY CAR, INJURED

Harry Friley of Ashville Struck  
By Hoover Auto

ASHVILLE, Dec. 21—Harry Friley, carpenter employed at the Hedges Lumber Co., suffered head injuries Friday evening at Long and Madison-sts., when struck by an auto driven by J. S. Hoover, west side meat dealer.

Mr. Hoover took Friley to Dr. R. S. Hosler for treatment.

CONVICTED MAN'S  
CHRISTMAS TO BE  
WITHOUT VISITOR

TRENTON, N. J., Dec. 21—(INS)—Bruno Richard Hauptmann's death-house Christmas will be a cheerless one, it was revealed today.

Col. Mark O. Kimberling, principal keeper at the New Jersey state prison, announced that no one would be permitted to visit the condemned slayer of the Lindbergh baby.

Last Christmas Hauptmann was in jail in Flemington awaiting the start of his trial and had turkey.

This year his death house fare will consist of pork, soup, mashed potatoes, apple sauce, celery, mince pie and coffee.

Hauptmann announced last night through his attorney, C. Lloyd Fisher, that he would complete over the week-end his answers to the 34 questions in his petition to the court of pardons for commutation of sentence.

BURGETT BOUND OVER  
IN HOG THEFT CASE

Andy Burgett, Five Points, was bound to the grand jury under \$500 bond Friday afternoon by H. O. Eveland, justice of peace, on an embezzlement charge.

The charge was filed by George Puckett, New Holland, Rt. 2, who contends Burgett disposed of hogs valued at \$49.87 on last March 13. Burgett denied the charge and provided bond.

FIVE YOUTHS, 9 TO 11,  
ADMIT GRAIN CO. THEFT

Two burglaries at the Pickaway Grain Co. have been cleared up by Police Chief William McCrady announced today.

The chief reported five youth ranging in age from 9 to 11 were involved but no charges had been filed against them. A rifle was taken from the company on Oct. 30 and a candy vending machine raided Dec. 14.

TRIAL OF CADY'S  
ELECTION ACTION  
STARTS MONDAY

Judge Dechant of Lebanon to  
Occupy Bench; Five Wit-  
nesses Called

## ADKINS TO AID CRIST

Many Irregularities in Recent  
Voting Charged By  
Both Sides

The stage appeared set for the opening of the mayoralty contest case of Mayor W. B. Cady against Will J. Graham, mayor elect, in common pleas court Monday before visiting Judge Charles B. Dechant of Lebanon.

Emmitt L. Crist, of the counsel for Mr. Cady, filed an order Saturday morning in court for subpoenas to be issued to five persons, Luella Heeter, Harold Rambo, Mary Russell, Wendell Russell and Beatrice Keaton. No addresses were given.

## Adkins Will Assist

From all indications Attorney George G. Adkins will assist Mr. Crist as counsel for Mayor Cady. The condition of C. A. Leist, co-counsel originally with Mr. Crist, was reported unchanged Saturday noon and it was doubtful if he would be able to take part in the hearing. The case was postponed last Saturday due to Mr. Leist's illness.

Both sides charge a number of irregularities in the election which resulted in a tie vote. Mr. Graham was chosen by lot by the Board of Elections and given a three-vote margin in the recount.

## To Decide on Bond

One of the first points to be settled will be the contention of the Mr. Graham's attorneys that Mayor Cady failed to file a bond, with sureties approved by the clerk, with his petition. It further contends the court has not issued or entered any order for notice and service of a copy of the petition. Mayor Cady left a cash deposit of \$50 with the clerk when filing the petition.

Attorneys for Mr. Graham are Weldon and Weldon and John P. Phillips, Jr., Chillicothe, Republican committeeman of the 11th district.

WOMAN, 36, PERISHES  
TRYING TO SAVE GIRLS

WARWICK, R. I., Dec. 21—Bravely returning into her blazing home to save her two daughters, Mrs. Gladys Barrett, 36, today perished in the flames with the two little girls.

Her husband and two sons were injured during the fire.

Mrs. Barrett discovered the blaze and aroused the household with her screams. She rushed outside to sound an alarm and then returned to get her daughters, Gladys, 8, and Mildred, 2.

Her husband, Joseph, sleeping on the second floor with his sons, Wallace, 14, and Earl, 11, dropped the two boys to safety from a bedroom window. Going downstairs to aid his wife and daughters, Barrett was met with a sheet of flame which burst through a wall. He fell at the foot of the stairs and crawled to the door, a living torch. His sons met him at the door and dragged him outside.

CARLOADS OF BRICK FOR  
COURT-ST EXPECTED SOON

Five carloads of paving brick for the Court-st WPA project are scheduled to arrive next week.

The street has been completed over the Mill-st intersection and if weather permits the work will be continued to Union-st, officials announced.

Present plans are to keep the men at work on the Court-st project as long as the weather permits or until definite word is received about the tile for the sewer program.

## As Hollywood Bid Farewell to Thelma Todd



MORE than 12,000 persons in every walk of life filed past the bier of Thelma Todd before final rites were held for the gamorous film comedienne, whose death had baffled authorities.

Photo show the open casket in a Los Angeles funeral parlor. The last portrait of Miss Todd is at the right.

Race for G.O.P. Delegates  
In State To Be Spirited

All to Be Pledged for Favorite Son, Then Will Switch to Either  
Landon, Knox or Borah; 52 to Be Selected

COLUMBUS, Dec. 21—(INS)—A spirited three-cornered race for delegates pledged to support presidential candidates has developed in Ohio, a survey of Republican state leaders indicated today.

Alfred M. Landon, governor of Kansas and a former resident of Marietta; U. S. Sen. William Borah, of Idaho and Col. Frank Knox, Chicago publisher, have shown no indication of entering the state in person to push their candidacy for the G. O. P. presidential nomination, but their friends are working diligently to muster public opinion in preparation for the national convention next year in Cleveland.

## News Flashes

## JURY CONVICTS ARSONIST

MARIETTA, Dec. 21—It took a Marietta jury only 48 minutes to convict Clyde Hildebrand of arson in the burning of the Marietta city hall Nov. 10. Hildebrand was sentenced to Ohio penitentiary for one to 10 years. He was in jail for intoxication when he set fire to the building which also houses city offices. Five other prisoners narrowly escaped injury in the flames.

## FIVE PASSENGERS HURT

PORT OF SPAIN, Trinidad, Dec. 21—Five of the 15 occupants of the Pan-American clipper ship, which crashes as it struck shallow water while landing last night, were treated in a hospital for serious injuries. The other passengers and crew were bruised and suffered shock. The accident was described by airline officials as the first in this area in seven years of operation.

## EXPORTS INCREASING

WASHINGTON, Dec. 21—November exports increased to \$299,400,000, the commerce department announced today, gain of 22 per cent over October and 38 per cent over last November. The increase was attributed to shipments of cotton, automobiles and petroleum to Mediterranean port.

CHILICOTHE MAYOR  
NAMES HESS, ATWELL

CHILICOTHE, Dec. 21—Mayor-elect James E. Ford, who defeated Walter Barrett, incumbent, despite his failure to gain support of some of the political "big-wigs" of the town, today announced his cabinet.

The service director, who also is city engineer, is Edgar E. "Ted" Hess, and his safety director will be Oswald B. Atwell, active Kiwanian and an automobile dealer. Alphonse F. Muller has been designated as assistant-engineering director.

Mr. Atwell is the son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Neuding, E. Main-st. His wife is the former Miss Helen Neuding.

CONNELL AND HIGLEY TO  
ATTEND EDUCATION MEET

Erice Connell, superintendent of Darby-twp school and C. A. Higley, Ashville superintendent, have been named as the official delegates to the Ohio Education association meeting to be held in Columbus, Dec. 26, 27 and 28.

Mary Rader, Walnut-twp, and Mildred Wertman, Pickaway-twp teachers, are alternates.

## PROWLER REPORTED

Police officers were called to the 200 block of Watt-st Friday night to investigate reports of a prowler.

MILNE REMOVED  
FROM HOSPITAL

"Something of Importance"  
Predicted at Noon

DOYLESTOWN, Pa., Dec. 21—(INS)—Caleb Milne, 4th., wealthy Philadelphia kidnap victim, was spirited out of the Doylestown hospital in a surprise move by G-men shortly before 8 a. m. today.

Milne's mother, Mrs. Frederica Milne, and his brother, Aubrey, called at the hospital in a high-powered car and several G-men immediately bundled the 23-year-old youth into the rear seat.

A moment later the car was roaring off towards Philadelphia. Harold O. Nathan, head of the G-men working on the case, was standing in front of the hospital when the car drove off, but he flatly refused to say where Milne was being taken.

Nathan told the reporters to meet him in Philadelphia at noon, when "something of importance" would be given out.

The G-men chief said several of his men would remain with Milne today, but he made it clear that the youth was not in custody of any sort.

He added that no information as to where the youth was being taken would be available until about 5 o'clock this afternoon.

## Freed by Abductors



NICHOLAS DEL CASTANO, Padilla, above, wealthy 67-year-old Havana, Cuba, lumberman and banker, is pictured following his rescue from abductors. He was held for more than a week. A ransom of \$300,000 was asked. Three men arrested for the abduction were

## ARM BROKEN THIRD TIME

ASHVILLE, Dec. 21—Mrs. Mary Young, Long-st., is recovering from a fractured right arm suffered while visiting at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Harold Odaffer, Cromley-st.

The fracture is the third suffered on the same arm by Mrs. Young.

FRIECE ELECTED  
TO HEAD COUNTY  
TOWNSEND CLUB

About 50 Attend Organization  
Meeting; Wright Hints  
He May Run

Sub-freezing temperatures, biting winds and slippery sidewalks were forgotten in dreams of a state of Eutopia by a group of aged persons who attended a meeting in the common pleas courtroom Friday night for the organization of a local Townsend club.

The plan was outlined by Thomas S. Wright, Lancaster Democrat and former Fairfield-co farmer, who may be a contender for the seat now held by Mell G. Underwood. Following his address E. C. Friece, E. Main-st., was chosen president of the local club, and T. D. Howell, secretary and treasurer.

## Financial Paralysis

"At present we have a severe stroke of financial paralysis," Mr.



Wright stated. "Money is the life blood of commerce and it must circulate or commerce dies. Our money is not circulating through enough hands."

"I believe if it hadn't been for the relief activities we would have had a civil war. Our country has too much food, clothing and too many homes, and still we have people suffering."

"There are approximately 10,306,000 persons in this country over 60 years of age and in this number about 7,500,000 would leave their employment if the Townsend plan was created. Their positions would be open to younger persons. The plan would give those over 60, who are eligible, the job of spending \$200 monthly."

## Uses Illustrations

Mr. Wright used a blackboard to show the vast amount of money that would be reaped from the stock exchanges in the transaction tax.

He explained in the operation of the plan those receiving the pension are not permitted to harbor persons who are able to work and do not seek employment.

Following his address he held an open discussion on the plan. When asked if he planned to seek the office now held by Mell G. Underwood, Mr. Wright said, "I do not choose to run but I may be chosen."

John W. Hannah, Zanesville, representative of Alfred J. Wright, eastern Ohio area manager, attended the meeting.

About fifty persons were present at the organization session.

## EMASCULATES BROTHER

HUNTSVILLE, Tex., Dec. 21—(INS)—Driven mad by his religious beliefs, which included a fanatical belief in chastity, Clyde Cooper 31, was in the custody of Sheriff Tom King today, after emasculating his brother, Bob, 35, while the latter's screaming wife looked on. The victim, a laborer in a sawmill here, was in a hospital today where physicians said he would survive his horrible experience.

MERCURY FALLS  
TO ONE DEGREE  
IN EARLY MORN

Government Predictors See  
Rise in Temperature Dur-  
ing Week-End

## SUB-ZERO IS REPORTED

Drop Brings Increase in Fuel  
and Winter Clothing Busi-  
nesses in City

Relief from the severe temperature, which has held Circleville and Pickaway-co in its grasp for two days, was predicted today.

Government weather forecasters declared the temperature would rise steadily over the week-end, and that relief is certain. Snow was also forecast.

Dr. H. R. Clarke's government thermometer registered one degree above zero Saturday morning, by far the coldest of the winter. The high mark reached Friday was 24 degrees. Many thermometers dropped below zero this morning.

Many localities in Ohio reported sub-zero readings. Mansfield's government temperature was one degree below zero; that in Marysville was three degrees below; Bowling Green, zero; Cincinnati, three above; Cleveland, 12 above, and Columbus, two above.

Fuel men, gas, coal and electric, were pleased with the winter weather, and so were many of the city's stores, which reported heavy clothing, coats, sweaters, heavy socks, gloves, were being sold in large quantities.

No serious accidents as a result of slippery roads were reported. Highway department men did a good job of clearing roads in Circleville and Pickaway-co.

ROPER TO RETIRE  
AFTER 33 YEARS  
IN GAS BUSINESS

E. S. Roper, employee of the Ohio Fuel Gas Co., and a resident of this city for the last 26 years, will be retired from active service Jan. 1. He will have completed 33 years of service with the Gas company and its predecessors.

Mr. Roper became affiliated with the old Logan Gas Co. under Messrs. Lupton, Whitcomb and Barnesdale, and has seen three mergers effected during his service. He came to the Circleville office in 1910 from Tiffin.

In the course of his duties in the local office he has become acquainted with every patron of the Gas company in this community, and through his active participation in civic affairs and in church work he has developed many friends.

Mr. Roper expects to remain in Circleville.

## REPLEVIN SUIT FILED

An action in replevin for the recovery of a truck and \$200 damages was filed in common pleas court Friday by the Circleville Savings & Banking Co., against Jack Taylor, doing business as the Taylor Motor Sales.

## The Weather

Local  
High Friday, 24.  
Low Saturday, 1.

National  
High Friday, Los Angeles, 72.  
Low Saturday, Duluth, Minn., -16

Forecast  
Generally fair not so cold in central portion; Sunday somewhat warmer.

Temperatures Elsewhere.  
High, Low.  
Boston, Mass., 36, 32  
Chicago, Ill., 20, 2  
Cleveland, O., 20, 14  
Denver, Colo., 24, 18  
Des Moines, Iowa, 14, -2  
Duluth, Minn., 0, -18  
Los Angeles, Calif., 72, 54  
New Orleans, La., 46, 14  
New York, N. Y., 35, 30  
San Antonio, Tex., 50, 46  
Seattle, Wash., 52, 34



## MERCY GRANTED RAY JUTILA IN WOMAN'S DEATH

Former Warren Athlete to  
Serve Life for "Passion"  
Murder of Friend

WARREN, Dec. 21.—(INS)—His life spared by the narrow margin of a mercy recommendation, Ray Jutila, 21, confessed slayer of his boy friend's wife, must spend the remainder of his life in Ohio penitentiary.

The sentence, made mandatory by the jury's verdict convicting him on first-degree murder charges, will be pronounced by Judge Dewey B. McVicker.

The jury, composed of six married men and six married women, recommended mercy for the youth, who a year ago was a popular Warren athlete. The verdict was returned last midnight after nearly eight hours deliberation.

**Smiles at Verdict**  
Jutila's face, pasty white, broke into a broad smile as the verdict was read.

The guilty verdict was the climax of a sensational trial that started on Dec. 9, and came to a sudden halt after four days of hearing by Jutila's attempt to end his life. The youth slashed his wrists with a spoon sharpened on the floor of his cell.

Although he lost much blood, Jutila recovered sufficiently to permit resumption of the trial Thursday. He returned to the stand and unfolded details of the killing of Marie Tobin, 21-year-old wife of James Tobin, his long-time friend.

The prosecution based its demand for a death sentence on the contention that the killing of Mrs. Tobin and the subsequent burning of her body was the action of a man with murder in his heart.

**Result of Passion**  
Jutila, however, sought to conceal none of the details of the killing. He contended the killing came in a moment of passion, when his mind was inflamed by liquor. He pleaded that he was the victim of a "jazz-mad" age, in which easy intimacy is bred by cheap whiskey.

The trial, most sensational in nature of any to be held in Trumbull county in years, attracted a huge crowd of spectators daily. Witness after witness, many of them sons and daughters of hard-working, church-attending fathers and mothers, told frankly about Saturday night drinking parties that continued throughout the night. Some of the testimony shocked jurors and spectators.

Marie Tobin's badly-burned body was found on the bed in her home last May, and beside it was the body of her pet dog. Jutila was arrested a few hours later, and within a day confessed that he had assaulted the woman, beaten her unconscious and set fire to the bed where she lay. Because he feared the dog might snarl at him some time later and arouse suspicion, he killed it and threw it beside her.

### RECKLESS DRIVER HIT

SANDUSKY, O.—Imposing an unusual sentence upon Esau Simmons, 39-year-old truck driver, Municipal Judge Ray F. Speers opened a campaign against reckless driving.

"This is just the beginning of what reckless drivers may expect," said Judge Speers in ordering Simmons to go to jail every Saturday night at 6 o'clock, to remain until 6 a. m. Monday, for the next six months.

The judge ruled that Simmons' reckless driving, was the cause of an accident in which one man and three women were injured.

## Ex-Mate, Maid of Thelma Todd



WHILE Hollywood authorities sought to unravel the mysterious circumstances surrounding the death of Thelma Todd, screen actress, Pasquale de Cicco, her former husband, and Mrs. May Whitehead, her maid, are pictured near the death scene discussing the tragedy.

## "Rigoletto" Will Feature Pons and Tibbett Dec. 28

Metropolitan Program Next Week to Be Outstanding; A  
Capella Choir Has Part in Yuletide Broadcast

NEW YORK, Dec. 21.—For the second Metropolitan Opera Saturday matinee, to which the National Broadcasting Company invites radio listeners on December 28, General Manager Edward Johnson has chosen one of opera's perennial favorites, Verdi's "Rigoletto."

At 1:55 p. m., E.S.T., NBC's combined WEAF and WJZ networks will be switched to the Metropolitan Opera House in New York in order that the radio audience from

Maine and Florida to Honolulu may hear a synopsis of the plot before Maestro Ettore Panizza raises his baton for the overture at 2 p. m. Short-wave transmission will also bring the performance to listeners around the world.

Soon after the curtain rises Charles Kullman, young American tenor who made his debut in "Faust" during the first week of the opera, will be heard singing the Duke's famous and familiar "Questo o uella" aria, a tune better known than its title and just as widely whistled as the "La donna e mobile" aria which he sings in the last act. Lily Pons will be the Gilda and her coloratura pyrotechnics in the brilliant "Caro nome" aria during Act Two is another highlight equalled only by the celebrated quartet which occurs in the Third Act. Lawrence Tibbett will hunch his back to impersonate the pathetic court jester whose daughter Gilda enjoys a brief but disastrous flirtation with the unscrupulous Duke whose court Rigoletto serves.

The cast to be heard during the broadcast on December 28, brings to the radio audience a galaxy of stars as outstanding as the stars of yesteryear whose names are so lasting associated with this scintillating opera.

CHICAGO.—The only Christmas day radio presentation of Chicago's celebrated A Cappella

Choir, conducted by NBC's choral director in Chicago, Noble Cain, will be heard Wednesday, December 25, when they appear as guest artists on the regular Broadcast Club Broadcast at 9:00 a. m., E.S.T., over an NBC-WJZ network.

A group of three songs, Bach-Gounod's "Ave Maria" with Francis Burch as soloist, "Carols from Many Lands" including folk melodies of Welsh, English, Polish, French, Scotch, and German origin, and the "Hallelujah Chorus" from Handel's Messiah with Walter Blaufuss' orchestra, will make up the program of the choir.

Sixty-five voices from the ranks of housewives, insurance men, stenographers, and business executives whose average age is 24, all non-professional singers, constitute what is perhaps the most widely known organization of its kind. It has built a unique reputation for interpreting choral music since its inception in 1930, achieving remarkable effects by serving as a humming background for instrumental solos. NBC audiences are familiar with the A Cappella Choir through their regular weekly broadcasts on "The Temple of Song."

The choir is entirely self-supporting and is not backed by any church or institution.

### SATURDAY

8:00—Al Goodman in the Hit Parade, WLW.

8:45—Seymour Simons' orchestra, CBS.

9:00—Rubinoff and his violin, WLW; Nino Martini, tenor, CBS.

9:30—Wallace Beery, WLW; National Barn Dance, NBC.

10:00—Joe Sanders' orchestra, WGN.

10:30—Strickland Gilliland, Cornocub Club, NBC.

7:00—Jack Benny, WLW; Alex-

ander Woolcott, CBS.

8:30—Robert L. Ripley with Oz-

zie Nelson, NBC; Phil Baker, NBC.

9:00—Major Bowes, WLW; Eddie Cantor, CBS.

8:30—Leslie Howard, CBS.

9:00—Olga Albani, WLW; Rich-

ard Crooks and Grete Steuckgold, CBS.

9:30—Frank Munn, NBC; Wal-

ter Winchell, WLW.

10:00—Lotte Lehman and chorus

of 400 voices, NBC.

The number of layers in farm

flocks on October 1, 1935, exceeded

that of the previous year for the

first time since 1930. With larger

farm flocks in prospect and with

average or better than average

production, a greater total egg

production during the first half

of 1936 than prevailed can be ex-

pected.

## Vera Stretz In Refusal To Tell Why She Killed

Turning of Tide Against Women Slayers Forbodes Guilty  
Verdict for Her in Death of Dr. Fritz Gebhardt

NEW YORK—Cool, calm and collected, her blonde beauty unruffled by the tragedy which overwhelmed her life when she shot and killed the wealthy Dr. Fritz Gebhardt in a lovers' tryst, Vera Stretz today awaits trial for her self-confessed act in New York's new women's prison.

The fate of this youthful college graduate who took the law into her own hands and whose only explanation has been, "any decent person would have done the same thing," has interested not only the metropolis but the whole nation.

"What is going to happen to Vera Stretz?" is the question heard on all sides—in front of the chrome-nickel bars where among mirrored surroundings the debutantes and the chic women of the metropolis talk over cocktails to escorts of tailored elegance, in the drab approximations of the old-fashioned saloons where only men foregather, behind the counters of the shops, on the bus tops and in the subways.

**Has Brilliant Lawyer**  
She has one of the most successful criminal lawyers of the east representing her, Samuel Leibowitz, her lawyer, sought to overcome the "Not guilty" verdicts by successfully protesting the conviction of the Scottsboro negroes right up to the Supreme Court.

But recent events have made many wonder whether the tide is not running against women defendants in murder cases. In Wise, Virginia, 21-year-old Edith Maxwell is beginning to serve a 25-year sentence for the killing of her father by striking him with a high-heeled shoe in spite of testimony that she was defending herself from his drunken rage.

What will happen in New York, people are asking. How will Leibowitz be able to extricate his fair client from this self-admitted slaying?

Beekman Tower is a tall octagonal shaft overlooking East River in midtown Manhattan, near exclusive Sutton place, the home of Mrs. W. K. Vanderbilt, and Anne Morgan.

It had been called the Panhellenic Club and until recently was the home of college women, members of sororities. Recently it changed ownership and the rooms were rented to men also.

**Little Known Man**  
One of the new tenants was a Dr. Fritz Gebhardt. All that the management of the hotel knew about him was that he was engaged in business downtown and was evidently wealthy. He had rooms on the 21st floor.

Two floors below him in a one-room apartment lived a Miss Vera Stretz, who, it was known, was employed in his office.

Dr. Gebhardt returned from a trip to Germany on Friday, November 8.

About 2:35 o'clock on the following Tuesday morning the assistant manager of the hotel, who lived on an upper floor, heard shots. When the assistant manager arrived at the 21st floor in his investigation he noticed a young woman, fully dressed, sitting on a settee near the elevator, but he hurried past her without paying much attention.

For in an open doorway before him lay the body of Dr. Gebhardt, clad in an old-fashioned nightgown. He had been shot four times, three times in the chest, and once in the left arm.

The assistant manager hurried back to the elevator but the young woman had disappeared. She evidently had gone down the stairs. Just then the police arrived and began searching. Eighteen floors below, on a stair landing, they found Vera Stretz huddled in a sitting posture on the floor. She was clutching a chinchilla-trimmed gray coat about her and holding a small, chic handbag.

In the little handbag they discovered a .32 calibre revolver with four shells exploded, a box containing 46 cartridges, a silk nightgown with bloodstains on the hem, and a key to Dr. Gebhardt's apartment.

**Shooting Admitted**  
"Did you shoot that man upstairs?" a policeman asked. "Yes I did," she said calmly, and later—"I was on my way to the station house to give myself up."

The investigation that followed disclosed many things but brought hardly another word from Vera Stretz except repetitions of, "I have nothing to say."

Dr. Gebhardt had been a big industrialist in Germany. A member of Baron Richthofen's "Flying Circus" and a close associate of Hermann Wilhelm Goering when the latter succeeded in command of the squadron, Gebhardt seemed destined for a high place in German affairs.

After the war he had been near the top of two of Germany's largest industrial corporations. But when the Nazis did come into power, his "non-Aryan" wife, kept him from taking a high place in

the regime despite his friendship with Goering.

He came to New York, leaving the wife behind, and engaged in the lucrative business of trading on commission in German exchange. Money cannot leave Germany, but foreign debts and credits of German concerns can be balanced in New York—at a profit for the balancer.

Police found that Vera had torn up all the photographs of herself in her possession and made her will a day or two before the shooting which they held to be important evidence of premeditation.

They found that on the Sunday night before the death Dr. Gebhardt had paid for separate rooms in a Broadway hotel for himself and another blonde young woman. Jealousy was the motive for the crime, they concluded.

They located the second young woman but failed to divulge that she had told them anything of importance to the case.

Vera was arraigned and pleaded not guilty, her composure amazing the reporters in the same way that it had affected the police.

This was the first thing that Liebowitz, her lawyer, sought to overcome. The remainder of his defense strategy, whether it will be self-defense or some other plea is still undisclosed.

He arranged to have Vera give a mass interview to reporters.

It was then that she said "any decent person would have done the same thing."

She also sought to puncture the impression of cool self-possession. "I didn't know I was composed," she said, referring to her arraignment. "I have been given sedatives right along."

### SCHOOLS OPENS DEC. 30

Since no new cases of scarlet fever have been reported in the Amanda district this week, plans are being made to re-open the schools Monday, Dec. 30.

The schools have been closed for the last ten days as a preventive measure.

### MUST ATTACH STAMPS

STEUBENVILLE, O.—Merchants throughout this district have been warned by the Tax commission, that cancelled prepaid sales tax receipts must be attached to invoices and bills for merchandise purchased by consumers, where the transaction is completed by correspondence or telephone.

The commission, is issuing the warning, said complaints had been received by the department and explained there was no way for either the consumer or the tax commission to know that the sales tax receipts have been cancelled, unless they are attached to invoices or receipted bills.

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**Protect Your Home  
from Tuberculosis  
BUY  
CHRISTMAS SEALS**

Makes Possible the Sanatorium  
and Rest House

I am going to ask you to take a second look at the Christmas seal that comes to you this year.

In fact, the Christmas Seal has had a part, we may say a major part, in making possible the building of sanatoria which today are able to care for 86,917 cases. Since the first seal sale the death rate has dropped to one-fourth of what it was. The Christmas Seal has also had a major part in removing the unthinking fear of tuberculosis which for years stood in the way of building sanatoria in towns and neighborhoods where strictness of a sanatorium was residents objected to their regarded as a pest house, but now people know it as a rest house.

Again, the Christmas Seal has been primarily instrumental in spreading the knowledge that tuberculosis is preventable and curable, and that one of the best ways to prevent and cure it is through sanatorium treatment.

Now of course it is apparent that people can rest at home, and then the question arises, if there is no medicine that can help the disease, why should expensive institutions be maintained, and people be separated from their families to get sanatorium care? The fact is that what people can do, if they would do, they often don't do.

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## The Red and Black

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### ORIGIN OF THE CHRISTMAS TREE.

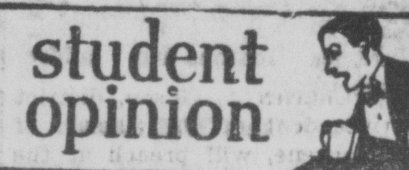
(Editorial)  
People of today never stop to think about the origin of the Christmas tree or just how we happened to have it. After all, what would Christmas be without a tree, its bright lights and colored ornaments?

There are many different stories concerning this. One of them describes Martin Luther as attempting to explain to his wife and children the beauty of a snow-covered forest under the glittering star suggested itself. He went into the garden, cut off a little fir tree, dragged it into the nursery, put some candles on its branches and lighted them.

"It has been explained," says another authority, "as being derived from the ancient Egyptian practice of decking houses at the time of the winter solstice with branches of the date palm—the symbol of life triumphant over death, and therefore of perennial life in the renewal of each bounteous year." The Egyptians regarded the date palm as the emblem not only of immortality, but also of the star of firmament.

Some of its traditions may have been strongly influenced by the fact that about this time the Jews celebrated their Feast of Chanukkah of Lights, known also as the Feast of Dedication, of which lighted candles are a feature. In Germany, the name for Christmas Eve is Weihnachts, the Night of Dedication, while in Greece at about this season the celebration is called the Feast of Lights.

—Mary Ann Sapp  
—MERRY CHRISTMAS—



**student  
opinion**

Student Opinion: How do you think the "Red and Black" could be improved?

MEDRITH BACH: Freshman: The "Red and Black" is very interesting as it is, but I think it should have a little more comedy. A short comic strip of an interesting event would help.

The paper tells the things which have happened in school and are of interest to all people as well as parents. This is what the people want to know and it tells about what is happening in our schools.

MORTON REICHELDERFER: Senior: In my opinion the high school paper could be improved by more personal stories, and also the resuming of the bit called, "Who's Who."

JUNIOR SWEYER: Senior: The way in which I think the "Red and Black" could be improved is to have more humor. The school paper seems too dry and it needs some humor to pep it up.

KATHLEEN GREENE: Junior: I think the "Red and Black" could be improved by having more personal things written about the students.

Feature stories would also add to the interest of the pupils.

HARRIET BEERY: Sophomore: I don't think the "Red and Black" could be improved much, except to have a few jokes added once in a while. I think it is a very excellent paper it tells of the various activities going on in the high school. It is all right just as it is.

### Queen of Co-eds



MISS MARY ALICE WOODS, above, of Independence, Mo., was chosen queen at the University of Kansas at Lawrence, Kas., in the annual contest conducted by the Jayhawkers, the college annual. Selection by Walt Disney, creator of Mickey Mouse.

### RICHARD HARMAN WINS IN CONTEST OF POEMS

The second poetry contest sponsored by the Red and Black was brought to a close last Tuesday with Richard Harmon as the author of the first and second prize poems.

Alice Griner was the winner of the third prize poem, "Christmas Eve."

All first prize poems will appear in the annual this year. Evelyn Ward was first prize winner in the first contest concerning Thanksgiving and Autumn. All students having their poems printed in the annual will receive a "Circle" free.

Miss Hitler, Mr. Jewett and Miss Mattinson were judges in this contest.

Poems for the next contest will be written about Easter or any subject pertaining to spring.

### BENCH

I sat on a bench  
In the park  
And the snow fell,  
And all was still,  
That Christmas Eve  
When I sat and thought,

I became a better  
Man,  
Because,  
I sat on a bench  
In the park  
And the snow fell,  
And all was still,  
That Christmas Eve  
When I sat and thought.

### THOUGHTS ON GOD

I sometimes  
Wish that  
I could be  
God  
And then  
I could  
Know why men  
Fight men,  
Kill men,  
And then  
On the  
Eve of His  
Birth  
Swear that  
They love  
Him  
With all  
They possess.

I sometimes  
Wish that  
I could be  
God  
So I could know.

### CHRISTMAS EVE

Snow falling,  
Strangely quiet, white and soft,  
Fairy-like it seems  
Gathering high in drifts.

Bells ringing,  
Joyfully wild, clear and loud,  
Laughter makes reply  
Rushing through the air.

Stars shining,  
Gleaming brightly, gold and white,  
Symbols of great faith  
Lending promise new.

Peace lingering,  
Heavenly silent, calm, serene,  
Good will toward men,  
O'er all the earth.

This poem, although being entered too late for judging, was given much praise by the judges and for this reason the Red and Black is printing it this week.

### I SAW A STAR

I saw a star,  
gleaming,  
gleaming,  
High in the sky of night—  
It shone afar,  
flickering,  
beckoning,  
With unearthly radiance bright.

I saw an Inn,  
lowly,  
Holy,  
Where Christ, the Babe Was  
Born—  
To atone for sin,  
suffering,  
sorrowing,  
On far off Calvary's Morn.

I heard a song,  
joyous  
glorious,  
Ring out the joyful lay—  
And all night along  
tenderly,  
reverently,  
I knelt to watch and pray.

### —MERRY CHRISTMAS—

**THANKS TO THEATRE**  
The cast and technical staff of "The Tinker" wish to thank the Clifton Theatre for advertising their play.

They also wish to thank all persons who helped in any way to present this play.

### —MERRY CHRISTMAS—

**NOTICE**  
There will be no Red and Black during Christmas vacation.

You have to hand it to France and Britain—they're determined to have peace if it takes every acre of land Ethiopia has.

### HIGH SCHOOL PROGRAM FOR WOSU ANNOUNCED

A group of Circleville High School students are presenting a program over radio station W. O. S. U. Tuesday afternoon at 1:15 p. m. as a part of the Ohio High School contest. The best program to the opinion of the judges will be given a "Silver Cup." The following program will be heard:

Theme Song—Red and Black.  
Piano Solo—Fight the Team Dick Plum.

The history of Circleville—George Rader.  
"East of the Sun," "Treasure Island"—Accordian solos by Hillaire Haacker.

A vocal ensemble presenting "Hark the Herald Angels Sing" and "Silent Night"—Harriet Beery, Louise Helwagen, Montford Kirkwood, Dick Plum, Donald Scott, Dorothy Walters.

"You Are My Lucky Star," "Jingle Bells"—Piano solos by Dick Plum.

"Blue Danube," "The Winter Waltz"—Accordian solos by Hillaire Haacker.

"The First Noel," "O Little Town of Bethlehem," "O Come All Ye Faithful"—Vocal Ensembles.

Interesting Facts C. H. S.—George Rader.  
Theme Song—Red and Black.

### —MERRY CHRISTMAS—

**SENIORS' INVITATIONS  
ARE CHOSEN BY CLASS**  
A single fold Graduation Invitation was selected by the Senior class at a meeting Monday afternoon.

The local dealer from whom the invitations are to be purchased is T. K. Brunner and Son. He is representing the Herff-Jones Company from Indianapolis.

Personal cards may be purchased from any firm. It is not necessary to buy cards through the dealer who received the order for the invitations.

—MERRY CHRISTMAS—  
**HISTORY CLASSES'  
SEMESTER PROJECTS**

The Sophomore history classes have begun their semester projects to be handed in soon after Christmas vacation.

Some students are making their projects while others are writing upon subjects pertaining to history.

For the past several years the same assignment has been made and has proved very interesting. Mr. Bowen is the instructor of the Sophomore history class.

—MERRY CHRISTMAS—  
**INFORMATION BLANKS  
NECESSARY TO GRADS**

Seniors at Circleville High School this year will be requested to fill out college information blanks furnished by the Ohio College association.

These blanks will be sent to any Ohio college requesting them. In this way any student seeking admission to a college will only be required to fill out this one form.

Every senior in the High School will be required to fill out a blank thus stimulating interest among the pupils for college careers.

This plan will enable the colleges to obtain accurate and uniform information concerning all high school students.



# ALL CHURCHES OF CITY PLAN CHRISTMAS PROGRAMS

## Holy Rites Are Sunday In Several

Other Congregations Waiting Until Tuesday Night and Wednesday

Splendid programs will be provided Circleville church-goers Sunday and until Christmas with all congregations planning much activity. Special cantatas, candle-light services, pageants, and song services all have their parts. The following plans were announced by the local pastors today:

A candle light pageant "Angels of Christmas" given by a cast of 16 persons at 7:30 p. m. Sunday will feature the Christmas service of the Methodist Episcopal church. The choir will assist by singing a number of hymns. Mrs. J. F. Moffitt directs the work and Hunter Chambers is the organist.

Persons having part in the pageant are Mary Rader, Mrs. DeWitt Bach, Eleanor Radcliff, Ann Denman, Mrs. G. D. Phillips, Mrs. E. R. Austin, Mrs. J. W. Henry, Helen Sayre, Marvene Howard, Fred Grant, Helen Yates, Katherine Kirkpatrick, Mrs. Ervin Leist, Marjorie Brown, Mrs. Carl Bennett, and Betty Brown.

Exercises for the church school will be a combined service at 10:15 a. m. Sunday. The choir will sing "Hark the Herald Angels Sing" by Woodward and "Rejoice Greatly" by Adams. Mrs. Moffitt will sing "Glory to God in the Highest" by Harker. Children of the junior and primary departments of the church school will participate in the service under the direction of Miss Charlotte Phelps, Mrs. Harold Grant, and their helpers.

"The Christmas Story" will be shown in colored stereopticon pictures in the junior department during the church school.

The Presbyterian choir directed by Carlisle Moffitt will present a Christmas song service at 4 p. m. Sunday. The beautiful cantata "The Christ Child" by Hawley will be sung. For the cantata, the choir will be assisted by Mrs. Cliff Miller, Mrs. Carlisle Moffitt, and Herbert Eagleson, former director of the choir.

Miss Abbe Mills Clarke accompanies the singers and will play as the prelude, "Christmas Prelude" by Yon and a postlude by Harker.

St. Philip's Episcopal church

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Meetings at Trinity Lutheran church during the week include: Sunday, senior choir practice, 2 p. m.; Monday, junior choir practice, 7 p. m.; Monday, Christmas practice, Ringgold, 8:15; Thursday, primary Christmas party, parish house, 2 p. m.; Thursday, junior choir practice, 7 p. m.; Friday, teachers' meeting, 7; Friday, senior choir practice, 7:30; Saturday, catechetical class, 10; Sunday evening, communion service, 7.

The Epworth league meeting of the Methodist church will be omitted Sunday and so will the mid-week service on Wednesday. The White gift offering for the Methodist homes may be given at any service during Sunday, the Rev. Herman Sayre announced.

The Young Ladies' Bible Class of the Methodist church is to take contributions Sunday morning for the Christmas baskets.

Monday at 7:15 p. m., the Christmas program of the Presbyterian church Bible class will be enjoyed. The Sunday morning service at the Presbyterian church includes: sermon, "The Christmas Attitude"; prelude, "Hallelujah Chorus"; anthem, "A Morn of Beauty"; offertory, "Jesu Bambino"; postlude, "Adeste Fideles".

A series of evangelistic meetings will be held in the Church of Christ, First National bank building, opening Dec. 29 and continuing until Jan. 26. The Rev. and Mrs. G. T. Bateman will be in charge of the services.

The Sunday School of Calvary Evangelical church will present a Christmas pageant Sunday at 7 p. m.

Prayer meeting services will be held in the church Wednesday at 7:30 p. m.

Rev. Charles A. Gilson, district superintendent of the Church of the Nazarene, will preach at the services in the local church Sunday.

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## The Christmas Lesson



Before the birth of Jesus an angel appeared to Mary, his mother, telling her of God's plan for her and her child. An angel also prepared Joseph to understand the manner of the child's birth, saying: "Thou shalt call his name Jesus."

## ILLUSTRATED SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON



An angel also appeared to some shepherds in the field telling them of the birth in Bethlehem of the Saviour, Christ the Lord. Then a host of angels sang, "Glory to God in the highest and on earth peace."

## ASHVILLE



Shortly after Jesus' birth there came wise men from the east to Jerusalem seeking the new-born King of the Jews. The wicked King Herod was greatly troubled at what they told of a star guiding them to find a new king.

## Malachi Foretells a New Day



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## By the Rev. Alvin E. Bell And Alfred J. Buescher



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## IN CIRCLEVILLE CHURCHES SUNDAY

**Church of the Brethren**  
Charles Essick, pastor. pastor. Sunday school, 9:30 a. m. Austin Davis, superintendent. Morning worship, 10:45. Evening service, 7:30.

**Church of the Nazarene**  
A. E. Fousey, pastor. Sunday school, 9:30 a. m. Morning worship, 10:45. N.Y.P.S. meeting, 6:30 p. m. Evangelistic service, 7:30 p. m.

**Church of Christ**  
R. Tibbs Maxey, minister. Devotionals, 10 a. m. Christmas program, 5:30 p. m.

**St. Philip's Episcopal**  
Rev. L. C. Sherburne, rector. Church school, 9 a. m. Morning prayer and sermon, 10:15 a. m.

**Calvary Evangelical**  
E. Radebaugh, pastor. Sunday school, 9 a. m. C. O. Leist, superintendent. Morning worship, 10:15. E.L.C.E. 6:30 p.m. Pageant, 7 p.m.

**First Methodist Episcopal**  
Herman A. Sayre, pastor. Church school, 9 a. m. Clarence R. Barnhart, superintendent. Morning worship, 10:15.

**St. Paul A. M. E.**  
Mary Lou Henderson, pastor. Sunday school, 10 a. m. Mrs. Beulah Thomas, superintendent. Morning worship, 11 a. m. Evening worship, 7:45.

**First United Brethren**  
T. C. Harper, pastor. Sunday school, 9:15 a. m. J. R. Kirkpatrick, superintendent. Morning worship, 10:30 Sunday school program, 7:30 p. m.

**Second Baptist**  
B. R. Reed, pastor. Sunday school, 9:30 a. m. Preaching 11 a. m. E.Y.P.U. 6:30 p.m. Preaching, 7:30 p. m.

**First Presbyterian**  
Emil S. Toensmeier, minister. Bible school, 9:15 a. m. Mrs. Blanche Mofschman, superintendent. Morning worship, 10:15.

**ST. JOSEPH'S**  
Rev. Fr. J. J. Herman, pastor. Sunday masses, 8 and 10 a. m. week day mass, 7:30 a. m.

**TRINITY LUTHERAN**  
Dr. G. J. Troutman and Rev. G. L. Troutman, pastors; service every Sunday at 10:15 a. m. and 7 p. m.; Sunday school, 9 a. m.; Bible study, Friday at 7 p. m.

**FIRST METHODIST**  
Sunday school, 9 a. m.; morning worship and Christmas exercises, 10:15 a. m.; candle light pageant, Sunday, 7:30 p. m.

Some people don't let their left hand know what their right hand is doing because they are ashamed to.

A sinner may be frightened into hypocrisy, but he must be wooed to repentance and faith.

You can't build up the weak by pulling down the strong.

Jesus is not only a very present help in trouble but a help in preventing trouble.

## COUNTY CHURCHES

**WILLIAMSPORT**  
METHODIST: W. A. Moore, pastor; Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.; morning worship, 10:30; Tuesday, Epworth league, 7 p. m.

**CHRISTIAN**: Mrs. Sylvia Martindill, supt.; Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.; preaching 7 p. m.

**PILGRIM HOLINESS**: Mrs. Mary Cameron, pastor; Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.; preaching, 11 a. m.

**ATLANTA**  
METHODIST: Morning worship, 9:15 a. m.; Sunday school, 10:15 a. m.

**ASHVILLE**  
METHODIST: Rev. J. O. Kilmer, pastor; church school, 9:15 a. m.; evening worship, 7:30.

**HEDGES CHAPEL**: church school, 9:30 a. m.; morning worship, 10:30.

**SCIOTO CHAPEL**: Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.; morning worship, 10:30 a. m.

**UNITED BRETHREN**: O. W.

**SMITH**, pastor; Sunday school, 9:15 a. m. C. E., 6:30 p. m.; evening worship, 7:30; prayer and praise, Wednesday, 7:30.

**LUTHERAN**: Rev. H. D. Fudge, pastor; divine worship, 9:30 a. m.; Sunday school, 10:30 a. m.

**NEW HOLLAND**  
METHODIST: R. M. Morris, pastor; Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.; preaching 10:30 a. m.

**SOUTH BLOOMFIELD**  
METHODIST: Rev. Paul C. Scott, pastor Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.

**EAST RINGGOLD**  
UNITED BRETHREN: Rev. L. S. Metzler; Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.; preaching at 10:30 a. m.

**ST. PAUL**  
LUTHERAN: Rev. E. H. E. Winterhoff, pastor; Sunday school, 9:30 a. m. pageant, "The Power of the Word", 7:30 p. m.

**Scioto Presbyterian**  
Rev. A. J. Wilson, pastor. Sunday school, 10 a. m. Preaching service, 7:30 p. m.

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## ASHVILLE

Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Hott are spending several days this week at Detroit, Michigan, where Mr. Hott is attending a Florists' convention.

Mrs. Sadie Bell spent several days of the past week with Mr. Carus Brown and family of Fairview.

Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo East and daughter, Patsy of Washington C. H., were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Boyer and family.

Miss Ethel Swope of New York City was a Thursday guest of her aunt, Miss Mima Kraft.

Mr. and Mrs. William Ingham have removed from Darbyville to Asheville, occupying the Harry Abbott property on Jefferson-ave.

Dr. L. C. Schiff and family moved into their new home on E. Main-st this week.

Mrs. O. W. Willis will entertain the local W. C. T. U. at her home on Cromley-st. Friday, Dec. 27 at 2 o'clock p. m.

Mr. and Mrs. Karl Hutchison of Columbus, entertained his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Hutchison of Walnut-twp, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Kuhlwein of Harrison-twp celebrated their 48th wedding anniversary at their home Sunday, and entertained the following relatives to dinner: Mr. and Mrs. Paul Kuhlwein, Columbus; Mrs. J. R. Duval and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Kuhlwein.

Mr. and Mrs. Gale Calvert and family visited with Mr. and Mrs. Ray Johnson at Circleville, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Hott were in Detroit, Mich., attending a Florist convention a part of the week.

James Hickman who has been in Virginia for the past several months has returned to Asheville.

Harry Sark and wife now occupy the Isaac Bell property on Scioto-st. Mr. Sark, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Sark of Walnut-twp is a railway mail clerk.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Grove of W. Main-st, have as their guest this week, Mrs. Mattie Finley of Pickerington.

AAA officials estimate that as of September 30 a total of \$126,281,273 in processing taxes is due from processors but unpaid as a result of court action. If this was paid, a processing tax surplus of \$14,701,379 would exist.

## THE GOLDEN TEXT



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Matt. 1:21—"Thou shalt call his name Jesus; for it is he that shall save his people from their sins."

## Malachi Foretells a New Day

"BRASS TACKS" ON THE SUNDAY LESSON

(The International Uniform Lesson for Dec. 22 offers the choice of two lessons, either Malachi 1:1 to 4:6 with the Golden Text, Mal. 3:1, "Behold, I send my messenger and he shall prepare the way before me"; or the Christmas story in Matt. 2:1-12 with the Golden Text, Matt. 1:21, "Thou shalt call his name Jesus; for it is he that shall save his people from their sins." We give here a treatment of the less familiar of these lessons from the chapter on Malachi in "The Gist of the Bible Book by Book," published by Dr. Alvin E. Bell, Toledo, O.)

**By DR. ALVIN E. BELL**

The books of Malachi and Nehemiah should be read together, for they form respectively the last pages of Old Testament prophecy and history, born of the same social and religious corruptions and at almost the same time. Malachi ministered about 400 years before Christ, and but a few years after the close of Nehemiah's ministry. Both dealt with the priests' defilement of their office, the people's defilement of the home through mixed marriages with idolaters, and the general contempt for and neglect of the offerings and services of God's house.

**The Seven "Whereins"**

"The key which unlocks the message of Malachi is the word 'wherein', which is found in the book seven times in as many impudent and arrogant replies of the people in which they deny the prophet's charges against them: 'Wherein hast thou loved us?' 1:2; 'Wherein have we despised thy name?' 1:6; 'Wherein have we polluted thee?' 1:7; 'Wherein have we wearied him?' 2:17; 'Wherein shall we return?' 3:7; 'Wherein have we robbed thee?' 3:8; and (in the revised version) 'Wherein have we spoken against thee?' 3:13. Thus the people entered a general denial to all the prophet's charges of religious, moral and social corruption. In their self-

Only to trust and do our best, and wear as smiling a face as may be for others and ourselves.—Robert Louis Stevenson.

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## TIME TO WATCH HABITS

MORE important than the conventional New Year's resolution a good many persons will make is the determination to watch one's habits over the holiday. Christmas and the days that follow are for many a convivial period. That fact carries with it no justification for imperiling the safety, even lives, of others.

Drunken or even slightly tipsy persons have no right to guide automobiles along the highways. Not only is there an obligation on the individual not to do this, but also good citizens in company of such persons owe it to themselves and the public welfare to dissuade friends who are under the influence of liquor from driving cars.

Many a man has said: "I never drive better than when I have five or six drinks in me." He means he never felt more abandon. He may not yet have figured in a serious accident. Always, however, there is a first time.

Some intelligence tests are silly and others make you seem pretty smart. All college professors are Liberals, which is another way of saying they aren't paid much.

An executive is a person who thinks he is busy because he takes all day to make up his mind.

A successful man is one who did his note endorsing young, when he didn't have much to lose.

Congress expects to have a short session. Yes, but with the bonus and Dr. Townsend it probably will be a short life but a merry one.

Those who have been wondering how much the little taxpayer will stand before he screams may soon have their answer. A device capable of imposing a pressure of one million pounds per square inch has been perfected by Harvard scientists.

When daughter begins to "make her own money," the chief difference is the accumulation of hats.

It isn't debasing to be content with little unless you are content because you get it for nothing.

## WORLD AT A GLANCE

Governor Eugene Talmadge of Georgia, a recent visitor in Washington, talking with the newspaper boys, gives a first rate impression at a casual meeting; it is impossible to say, from a half hour's chat, how well he would wear.

One naturally compares him with the late Senator Huey P. Long, and he is somewhat of the Kingfish's type, though he doesn't look like the Louisiana solon in the least. He is not as volcanic as was Senator Long, either. He is forceful, but more restrained than the senator was. When he makes a strong statement it sounds strong rather because of what he says than because of any particular vehemence in his manner of saying it. The Kingfish, if a diamond, decidedly was in the rough. The governor has a certain amount of polish.

He said that he thinks he and the senator were aiming at approximately the same objective, but he agreed that he could not in-dorse the latter's share-the-wealth philosophy.

NOT A TOWNSENDITE  
There is no comfort for the Townsends in Governor Talmadge's reasoning, either.

He was emphatic in his statement that he believes in pensions for no one except ex-soldiers. "No man," he argued, "who, maybe, has bummed around pool rooms until he is 60, is entitled to be put on a pension."

The rub of his platform, explained the governor, is Jeffersonian Democracy, which, he was

# Daily Washington Merry-Go-Round

By DREW PEARSON and ROBERT S. ALLEN  
POLITICIANS REGARD TOWNSEND PARTY PLAN AS STRATEGIC BLUFF

WASHINGTON—Among both Republican and Democratic leaders the Townsend threat of a third party is considered bluff. The declaration is viewed as a strategic maneuver to frighten the two old parties to come to terms on the old-age pension movement. . . . The big guessing game now current in official Washington is how much money the President will ask for next year's relief in his forthcoming budget. Speculation ranges from zero to a high of \$2,000,000,000. . . . Justice Louis D. Brandeis is a good advertisement for the dental profession. Although 79 years old he still has most of his own teeth. He has them examined and cleaned each month. . . . A. B. MacGregor, in charge of a Rural Resettlement nursery, was once a gardener for the King of England and J. P. Morgan. MacGregor was on the transient relief rolls when he obtained his government job. . . . William Bray, youthful secretary to Postmaster General Jim Farley, is the only secretary to a high official in the Capital who knows by sight every member of Congress. Bray's knowledge is a great service to his boss as it insures the latter of never being caught at a loss for the name of a congressional caller. . . . Signs of the times: Shoe production this year is up 3.5 per cent over last. The output of low-priced part-leather and part-fabric shoes has more than doubled.

## WHITE HOUSE GIFTS

Christmas at the White House means an increased flow of gifts. From the time of George Washington, Presidents have been the year round recipients of every conceivable variety of gift. When President Harding died he left a whole store-room of personal gifts. Several trucks were needed to carry away the gifts given Coolidge and Hoover during their incumbency. . . . Caption over an appear for funds in The Democratic Digest — "A Penny A Day Keeps the Elephant Away" . . . Massachusetts Congressmen have brought word to the Capital that ex-Governor Alvin T. Fuller, of Sacco-Vanzetti fame, is planning to seek another term on the Republican ticket next year. . . . According to figures just compiled by the Labor Department workers have filed suits aggregating \$500,000,000 of workers' compensation laws in the U. S. . . . Reason for the American Liberty League's sudden announcement that it would file with Congress quarterly statements of income and expenditures was the tip that New Dealers were planning a congressional probe of the organization's finances. By voluntarily opening its books, League masterminds hope they can forestall an investigation. . . . Five states have already submitted plans to Surgeon General Cummings for obtaining grants from the \$8,000,000 fund set up in the Social Security Act for health promotion. The States are, Utah, Arizona, California, Colorado and New Mexico.

## By— Charles P. Stewart

positive in asserting, is the antithesis of the New Deal.

A third party?  
The governor doesn't want one. What he wants, he made it clear, is to "reclaim" the Democratic party. He wants to beat President Roosevelt for renomination. Obviously he hates to face the contingency that the White House tenant will be renominated, raising the issue, in his own mind.

Should the so-called Democratic candidate be fought for re-election?

BOTH PARTIES SPLIT  
The situation is exceedingly jumbled.

There are the administration Democrats. There are the dissenting Democrats. There are the Republicans. There are the Townsends—unless the dissenting Democrats or the Republicans annex them. Governor Talmadge's declaration seems to foreclose the chance that the dissenting Democrats will do so. That the Republicans will make friends with them is more than unlikely.

For that matter, the dissenting Democrats are split, too; Governor Talmadge, as a dissenter, is nothing like such a dissenter as John W. Davis, who ran for president on the Democratic ticket in 1924.

The Republicans, also, are split: Senator William E. Borah and Representative James W. Wadsworth, both of whom are mentioned as G. O. P. presidential possibilities, are as far apart as the poles in their political principles.

This isn't to say that there will

# MURDER UPSTAIRS



READ THIS FIRST:  
Lieutenant Kirk Larabee is investigating the murder of Andrew Darian, a middle-aged bachelor who was stabbed to death with a carving knife as he slept in the boarding house of Alice Penny. After questioning Alice, her seven remaining boarders, the maid and cook in detail, Larabee learns that Darian was generally disliked and that he possessed a small fortune. Alice is amazed when the detective tells her she will inherit \$200,000 through Darian's will. While Larabee and Alice are talking, they surprise Grace, the cook, listening at the door. Alice has to explain a list of anecdotes she has compiled about everyone in the house to Larabee. They discuss all of the boarders again, including Lucy, Alice's old friend, who has been seeing a psychiatrist. Dr. Rudemar, Lucy's psychiatrist, surprises Alice with a visit at midnight. Dr. Rudemar, convinced that Lucy is abnormal, fears she may have committed the murder. (NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY)

CHAPTER 24  
WHEN YOU know a person as long as I have known Lucy, when that person is as close to you as a sister, and someone tells you she is crazy, that she has homicidal tendencies and ought to be in an asylum, well, you can judge my state of mind when Dr. Rudemar told me that.

He added:  
"If this hadn't come up, no one would have known about Mrs. Upham's condition, except myself—until, of course, something happened. But now that the murder has occurred in your house, Mrs. Penny it's necessary for you to know. I'm sorry it's that way—and that I had to tell you."

He picked up his things and went to the door. I followed him, the bundle of knives in my hand.

"You'll watch her for me?" he asked, with one hand on the knob.

"—shall. But why don't you see her and ask for yourself whether she killed Andrew Darian?"

"It would do no good to ask her. Mrs. Penny for to get the truth from her in a hurry I should have to use hypnosis. Already, in a hypnotic state, she has killed a guinea pig which she thought was Darian. She'd tell me she killed him. Do you understand?"

I didn't, but I nodded, dumbly. I was glad when the front door closed after him. Wearily, with my bundle, I proceeded upstairs without asking Sergeant Buss to accompany me. Sergeant Buss I met on the second floor. Another policeman was on the third, whom I didn't know.

The light on the door didn't land, of that floor worked, by some whim. When I was in my room and had looked in the closet and under the bed and had locked my door, I put the bundle under my pillow, and got undressed, still thinking of what Dr. Rudemar had said about Lucy.

The bundle was there in the morning, but to make sure I counted the knives. Seven. . . .

Miss Cambridge was the only one who left the house the next morning. She went back to her history classes, with Lieutenant Larabee's permission, and a triumphant gleam in her eyes. Mr. Withers didn't even ask to go.

At 9:30 Miss Cambridge came back, her triumph somewhat curbed, to tell us that Mr. Gorham thought she'd better stay away until matters were cleared up, and the curiosity of her pupils abated. I could have told her that out so started out so defiant. By that that's what her precious Mr. Gorham would say, but I didn't. You can't tell Miss Cambridge things like that. She wouldn't believe you.

"Mr. Gorham said my absence was unavoidable, and would be considered illness," she told me as she trailed into the kitchen. "He was greatly disturbed by the tragedy, and wanted to know all about it. A fine man, Mr. Gorham. A brilliant man. He has a splendid theory about the murder that I must tell Lieutenant Larabee. You remember Mr. Anderson who used to have Mr. Talbot's room? Well, what was to prevent Mr. Anderson from having an extra key made for the front door, waiting until he moved out, then returning Monday night to kill Mr. Darian? Logical, isn't it?"

"But George Anderson left for California the day he moved out. Miss Cambridge," I explained, patiently. "Why should he want to kill Mr. Darian?"

"How do you know he left immediately for California?" she demanded.

"He told me so," I said. "He wasn't here when the baggage man came, and I checked his trunk to San Francisco on his ticket which he left with me. The ticket was a through one to San Francisco."

That settled George Anderson so far as I was concerned. I didn't think much of Mr. Gorham's theory. It was too far fetched. Why should he, Mr. Anderson, who had been with me a year when he went away, have an extra key made to the front door, come back at 8:30 Monday night, steal my carving knife, hide around the house until after midnight, and then kill Mr. Darian?

To my mind, Mr. Gorham's theory was no more plausible than Dr. Rudemar's. I hoped Marcella Cambridge didn't see me shudder when I thought of the doctor. But she did. She asked what was the matter, and I told her I was cold.

"Nerves, Mrs. Penny," she said, decidedly. "I imagine you didn't sleep any too well."

I hadn't, what with the knives under my pillow, and thinking of Lucy and Dr. Rudemar.

"I slept better than I have for a long time," she continued. "I was asleep as soon as my head touched the pillow."

I managed to get away from her after that by pleading an urgent phone call I had to make. I simply didn't want to talk to her any more that morning. She was right about my nerves. I had a bad case of them, and a funny headache that centered in my left temple.

The inquest on Andrew Darian was held that afternoon. Della and I were the only witnesses who went from the house except Kirk Larabee. It was much easier than I had expected, for inquests were a novelty to me and I didn't know what I might have to say. It lasted only half an hour and aside from Della going into half hysterics on the stand, it wasn't so bad.

The jury decided that Andrew

## Looking Back in Pickaway County

FIVE YEARS AGO  
A Columbus stockholder has filed suit in Franklin-co courts charging abandonment of the Scioto Valley Traction Co. was through collusion, and asked reversal of the ruling.

Congo Tribe of Red Men has elected Charles Gentzel, prophet, and Charles Rolland, sachem.

Miss Mildred Alexander of Spring Valley and J. Austin Dowden of Wayne-twop are to marry Christmas day.

Miss Helen Bartholomew, county health nurse, has been named vice president of the newly-formed Nurses' division of Central Ohio Sanitariums.

10 YEARS AGO  
The temperature dropped to 11 degrees above zero.

Miss Evangela Smith, student in Louisville, and Robert Smith, student at St. Xavier, Cincinnati, are home for the holidays.

The Ohio Packing Co. was opened for business in Columbus, and W. M. Beavers and son provided the first cattle to be butchered.

25 YEARS AGO  
Mr. and Mrs. Grover Ranck, who have been in charge of the Exhibit theatre, have been transferred to Toledo. John DeWeese is the new local manager.

James Swearingen, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Niles, Charles Bell, and John Van Meter attended the International show in Cincinnati.

## Poems That Live

THE HUMAN SEASONS  
Four Seasons fill the measure of the year;

There are four seasons in the mind of man:

He has his lusty Spring, when fancy clear  
Takes in all beauty with an easy span;

He has his Summer, when luxuriously  
Spring's honeyed cud of youthful thought he loves

To ruminate, and by such dreaming high  
Is nearest unto Heaven: quiet covets.

His soul has in its Autumn, when his wings  
He furleth close; contented so to look

On mists in idleness—to let fair things  
Pass by unheeded as a threshold brook:

He has his Winter too of pale misfeature  
Or else he would forego his mortal nature.

—John Keats.

## Dinner Stories

A GOOD THOUGHT  
Bassler: They claim that when women adopted shorter skirts it reduced the number of street car accidents 50 per cent.

Rhodes: Wouldn't it be fine if such accidents could be prevented entirely?

## SCOTT'S SCRAPBOOK



## DIET AND HEALTH

### What to Feed Youngster Over Three Years of Age

By LOGAN CLENDENING, M. D.  
WE SPOKE yesterday of the sort of restraint we should use as to what children should and should not eat during the holiday season.

We must remember that children over three have attained an almost adult type of digestive machinery. The amount of things which they can eat includes a wide variety of choice. They may have any fresh vegetable except kernels of corn, raw whole radishes, cucumbers and coarse, fibrous roots. Very few of these are included in the ordinary Christmas dinner.

In cooking vegetables for children the minerals should be conserved as much as possible. Steam the vegetables, cook them with very little water, and use the water as a sauce. Use the water in which you cook vegetables as a broth for cereals, and also use milk as a sauce for vegetables.

Some children digest raw fruits well and others do better with cooked fruits. They should all have some orange juice, however. Steamed fruits should have no sweetening added unless they are tart, in which case honey or corn syrup, brown sugar or sorghum are better than the more refined sugar.

Crisp Dessert Good  
Crisp breads, raw apples, celery, or raw carrot strips should be served at

every meal, and if possible end with something of this sort even after pudding or soft dessert. This will stimulate the gums and clean the teeth naturally.

Soups except vegetable soups, are not particularly good for the young child. They often take away what appetite a delicate child has, and they contain very little nutritive value of their own.

Going through the day with a child like this, breakfast should consist of orange juice or some other fruit, cereal well cooked, with milk, toast, and a glass of milk to drink. Bacon and eggs may be given to thriving children who have good appetites.

Lunch should include some sort of starch, as a baked potato. There should be a green vegetable, spinach, beans, peas or carrots, and meat, fish or eggs, a cup of milk, crisp bread and a pudding.

The evening meal will be larger as the children get older, gradually approximating the adult standpoint. We suggest that the child should have a creamed vegetable on toast, a stew of a mixture of vegetables or a sautéed egg on toast, then a glass of milk, or occasionally a glass of chocolate or cocoa, crisp bread and fruit.

Three teaspoons of cod liver oil divided between the three meals should still be administered to a child of this age.

EDITOR'S NOTE: Six pamphlets by Dr. Clendingen can now be obtained by sending 10 cents in postage, a self-addressed envelope stamped with a three-cent stamp, to Dr. Logan Clendingen, in care of this paper. The pamphlets are: "Indigestion and Constipation," "Reducing and Gaining," "Infant Feeding," "Instructions for the Treatment of Diabetes," "Feminine Hygiene," and "The Care of the Hair and Skin."

## THEATRES

AT THE CLIFTONA  
Flaming with the genius of six inspired performances, Columbia's picturization of I. A. R. Wylie's novel, "A Feather in Her Hat," showing Sunday and Monday at the Cliftona Theatre, brings a supreme emotional experience.

Pauline Lord, First Lady of the Broadway stage, enacts the role of Clarissa Phipps with beauty and restraint. You'll never forget Mrs. Phipps.

Basil Rathbone is Captain Courtney, a real gentleman, not "a toff." Fresh from his triumph in "Anna Karenina," Rathbone scores again.

Louis Hayward, sensational British juvenile, makes his second role in an American picture something to be remembered. Noel Coward vouches for him. He's seen as Richard.

Billie Burke needs no send-off. There is only one Miss Burke, but you'll wish there were more after you see her as Julia Trent in this picture. Wendy Barrie, a charming English girl, is Pauline, Hayward's sweetheart. And Victor Varconi, Continental as always, plays the part of Miss Burke's husband.

AT THE GRAND  
What is "TRUCKIN'"? The new dance craze that originated in Harlem at the famous Cotton Club Well, Dixie is finding out. The "Harlem" a brand new all colored musical farce is being shown in the Southern States for the first time by its producer Irvin C. Miller, noted Negro Broadway producer who is now in tour with his latest unit. Miller, a veteran showman of the halycorn days of Broadway is here IN PERSON with his new vehicle. With an all star cast he is presenting one of the best that is to be found in the jazz market of colored entertainment.

WHAT IS "TRUCKIN'" the wonder of Walter Winchell—Consists of simply this . . . holding high of the head, a tilting of the left shoulder, a swaying of the back so that the upper portion of the body is farther back than the lower limbs, a merry shuffling of both the left and right arms, and an animated forward of the legs and feet, keeping the angular,

Sunday, December 22  
1696—James Oglethorpe, founder of Georgia, was born.

1775—First naval fleet of U. S. was organized.

1825—Congress voted the biggest soldier bonus in U. S. history—\$200,000 and 24,000 acres of land in Florida to Marquis de Lafayette.

According to some authorities, coal was known to the ancient Britons. It was an article of household consumption during the Anglo-Saxon period as early as 852 A. D.



:—: Social Happenings - Personals - News of Interest to Women :—:

Past Chiefs' Club and  
Guests Enjoy Party

Thirty-six at Dinner;  
Mrs. Fitzpatrick is  
New President

A lovely party was enjoyed at the Wardell party home Friday evening when members of the Past Chiefs' club of the Pythian Sisters, their husbands and friends enjoyed their annual Christmas party.

Dinner was served at 7:30 o'clock at a beautifully appointed table, covers being laid for thirty-six.

Exchange of gifts was enjoyed after the dinner hour and during a short business session officers were elected for 1936. Mrs. William Fitzpatrick was named president to succeed Mrs. John Ward; Miss Laura Mantle is the new vice president, and Mrs. Loring Evans, secretary-treasurer.

Cards were enjoyed the remainder of the evening.

The group at the delightful affair included Mrs. Ward, Mr. and Mrs. William Fitzpatrick, Mr. and Mrs. Turner Glick, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Nicholas, Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Newton, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stofor, Mrs. Fred Newhouse, Miss Ethel Stein, Clarence Stein, Miss Alice Wilson, Mrs. Mable McCain, Miss Mantle, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Denman, Mrs. Milton Manson, Mrs. George Marion, Miss Nellie Bolander, Miss Florence Lathouse, Miss Clara Lathouse, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Wolf, Mr. and Mrs. George Valentine, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Hilyard, Miss Nellie Riffle, Curtis Burkhead, Mrs. Oral Storts, and Mrs. Evans.

**Merri-Makers Circle**

Mrs. George Forster's home on N. Court-st was the scene of the Christmas dinner of the Merri-makers sewing circle Order of the Eastern Star Friday.

Mrs. Hazel Wead of Washington C. H., deputy worthy grand matron, was the only guest.

Exchange of gifts was the feature of the delightful social afternoon. There was a prettily lighted and decorated tree with the room and a center-piece of poinsettias and red candles were used on the table for the dinner at 6 o'clock. Covers were laid for twenty-five members and Mrs. Wead.

**Bride Club Party**

Mrs. Homer Wright of Atlanta charmingly entertained her bride club at her home Thursday afternoon. Christmas suggestions were carried out very attractively in the decorations.

Four tables of auction bridge were in progress throughout the afternoon and at the close of the game trophies were presented Mrs. Floyd James and Mrs. L. M. Tarbill. Mrs. James also received the traveling prize.

A white elephant exchange was the feature of the afternoon. A delectable luncheon served in the dining room preceded the afternoon's play.

Covers were laid for Mrs.

Tender Words of Devotion



Wendy Barrie and Louis Hayward in "A Feather in Her Hat" showing at the Cliftona Theatre Sunday and Monday.

Annual  
**Mistletoe Charity Ball**  
At C. A. C.  
Friday, December 27  
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Miss Marian Hitler ..... Mrs. Paul Adkins  
Mrs. Ralph Morris ..... Miss Ann Bennett  
Miss Mary Newmyer ..... Miss Mary Radcliffe

CHRISTMAS DECORATIONS CHEERY



Elizabeth Allan wishes you a Merry Christmas as she peeks through the huge holly wreath which will be hung on her door; left, a miniature yule log decorated with pine cones and holly and holding red tapers, for a Christmas centerpiece; right, whitened twigs and geraniums are combined in a low bowl which holds five white tapers—a white Christmas centerpiece.

manship of Mrs. Robert Smith.

The committee includes Mrs. Ralph Morris of Columbus, Mrs. Paul Adkins, Miss Mary Newmyer, Miss Ann Bennett, Miss Mary Radcliffe, Mrs. Donald Watt, and Miss Marian Hitler.

**Women's Social Club**

The Women's Social club of the Presbyterian church held an enjoyable Christmas meeting Friday evening in the church basement.

Mrs. Charles Dresbach, president, opened the meeting with prayer and the business session was followed by a musical program in charge of Mrs. Clark Will.

Three beautiful Christmas numbers were sung by Mrs. Will, Mrs. James P. Moffitt, and Mrs. Melvin Yates. Their selections included "Silent Night" by Hayden; "The Virgin's Slumber Song" by Max Reger, and "Sing Noel."

Mrs. Tom A. Renick in her pleasing manner gave several readings including "The Origin of St. Nick," "The Substitute," and "The Night Before Christmas," the latter being an encore number.

The program closed with group singing of Christmas carols.

Refreshments were served with special Christmas favors and decorations being used. Mrs. Stanley Lewis was hostess chairman assisted by Mrs. Eli Roper, Mrs. A. D. Newmyer, Mrs. Carrie Patton, Mrs. Howard Jones, and Mrs. Ed Stephens.

The January committees were announced at last night's session. Mrs. T. A. Renick is chairman of the program to be assisted by Mrs. Theodore Huston, Mrs. Howard Orr, and Mrs. Donald Watt.

On the hostess committee are: Mrs. J. O. Eagleson, chairman, Mrs. George Goodchild, Mrs. Frank Marion, Mrs. Estella Ritt Morris, Mrs. Walter Nelson, Mrs. James Adams, Mrs. George Colville, Mrs. Marvin Dreisbach, Mrs. E. S. Shane, Mrs. Leslie May, Miss Abbie Clarke, and Miss Mary McCrady.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Campbell and son, John, of Sedgewick, Kan. will be guests Sunday and Monday of Mr. Campbell's sister, Mrs. J. Wray Henry and Mr. Henry, N. Court-st.

Mr. and Mrs. George Crites, S. Court-st, will leave Tuesday for a few days' visit with Mrs. Crites' mother and sister, Mrs. Chris Eckert and Mrs. Lee Yunker and Mr. Yunker in Madison, Ind.

Kenneth Ulm of the Institute of Paper Chemistry at Appleton, Wis. was to arrive today for a visit during the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Ulm, N. Court-st.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Groce, E. Union-st, are expecting their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. I. D. Smith and children, Mary Jane and David, of Petersburg, W. V. to arrive Sunday for a few days' visit.

Hillard Gehres of Knoxville, Tenn. will come Sunday for a ten day's stay with his mother, Mrs. Erma Gehres, E. Union-st.

Mr. and Mrs. James Adams of Tazewell, Va., formerly of this city and son-in-law and daughter

Mrs. Morton Gives Own Recipe  
For Cooking Spicy Boiled Ham

By MRS. MARY MORTON

**Menu Hint**

**Boiled Ham**  
Hashed Brown Potatoes  
Escalloped Corn  
Shredded Cabbage With Thousand Island Dressing  
Fancy Baked Apples  
Tea or Coffee

Parboil the ham unless you are sure it is not too salty. Wash it, cover with cold water, and let it come to a boil. Then pour the water off and cover with fresh cold water, let come to a boil, skin and boil gently until tender. I put some whole cloves, a tablespoon of vinegar, one of brown sugar, and a bay leaf in with the ham; more can be used. Spiced vinegar from sweet pickles also is good to add to the ham water.

**Today's Recipes**

**Escalloped Corn**—Three tablespoons chopped green pepper, one-half onion, finely chopped; two tablespoons butter, two tablespoons flour, one teaspoon salt, one-fourth teaspoon paprika, one cup milk, two cups canned corn, two egg yolks, one-half cup bread crumbs, one tablespoon butter, one-half cup buttered cracker crumbs. Sauté pepper and onion in butter five minutes. Blend in flour mixed with seasonings and milk. Cook stirring constantly until thickened and smooth. Add egg yolks, beaten, and corn. Turn into greased baking dish lined with bread crumbs. Sprinkle over with cracker crumbs, dot with butter and bake in a moderate oven, 350 degrees, until browned and heated through.

**Baked Date Delicious**

Fancy Baked Apples—One and one-half cups sugar, one-fourth cup water, six apples, one or two bananas, one tablespoon butter, six marshmallows. Make a syrup by boiling the sugar and water together three minutes. Core apples wide enough to hold banana slices and pare tops of apples. Fill cavities with thinly sliced bananas and arrange in a baking dish. Pour the syrup over them and bake about half an hour until tender, in moderately hot oven (375 F.) When done, dot each apple with a little butter and baste well with remaining syrup; then place a marshmallow on each and put back into the oven to brown.

Four tablespoons butter, five tablespoons flour, one-fourth teaspoon salt, one cup milk, three eggs one-third cup sugar, one tablespoon lemon juice, one-half package dates, sliced. Melt the butter, add the flour and salt. Mix thoroughly. Add the milk slowly, stirring while adding. Cook until smooth and thick, stirring constantly. Cool. Then add the beaten egg yolks, sugar, lemon juice and dates. Fold in the stiffly beaten egg whites. Pour into a well-greased baking dish. Place the dish, uncovered, in a pan which contains about one inch of hot water. Bake for one hour in a moderate oven. (325 F.). Serve warm with cream. Six to eight servings.

**GRAND Theatre**  
Last Times Tonight  
EDMUND LOWE and  
DOROTHY PAGE in  
"King Solomon of  
Broadway"  
Educational Comedy  
Universal News  
1st Chapter of "The Great Air  
Mystery"

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Cape Mystery"  
With Donald Cook  
Also News Cartoon  
1st Show at 6 p. m. Sunday

Celery Gives  
Crispness  
To Meal

By MRS. MARY MORTON

**Menu Hint**

Baked Banana and Sausage  
Cornmeal Muffins  
Creamed Cabbage Cake  
Tea

Somehow potatoes do not seem to be needed with this original dish of banana and sausage. There is enough starch in the rest of the menu to satisfy that need, and the celery adds the crisp, fresh touch.

**Today's Recipes**

**Baked Banana and Sausage**—Allow one banana for each serving with a third of a pound of bulk sausage for every two persons. Cut the unpeeled bananas in two lengthwise and lay on a shallow plate. Make a little groove down the center of each and spread the sausage on top. Place in a 450-degree oven for 10 minutes. Then place under the broiler for a minute to crisp the sausage. These are delicious with cornmeal muffins baked at the same time.

**Butterscotch Cake** — One-half cup shortening, one and one-third cups brown sugar, two eggs, one teaspoon vanilla extract, one and three-fourths cups pastry flour, two and one-half teaspoons baking powder, one-fourth teaspoon soda, one-half cup cold strong coffee. Cream shortening; add sugar slowly. Add unbeaten eggs one at a time, beating well after each addition. Add flavoring. Add flour, sifted with baking powder and soda, alternately with coffee. Bake in greased square baking pan in moderate oven at 350 degrees F. about 50 minutes. When cold cover top with your favorite frosting. Cut into squares to serve. Makes one eight-inch cake.

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# HERALD SPORTS

## RED, BLACK EASY FOR CHILLICOTHE VARSITY OUTFIT

Locals Get Only Three Buckets; Winners Big and Hard-Driving Athletes

Minus the services of John Jenkins—and his illness hurt the Tigers more than one would expect—the local cage team had its four game winning streak broken, 9 to 23, at Chillicothe Friday evening.

A large crowd that braved cold and wind witnessed the game. Circleville cage followers are not down-hearted despite the defeat since Chillicothe has a big, fast, hard-driving team and should go places this year. When a Chillicothe play started, the set-up was completed and anyone in its road went down. Referee Fritz Mackey was working a football game part of the time instead of what was supposed to be a cage game. The Ohio State frosh coach is a good official, and all that, but there is no denying the game was out of his hands a large part of the time. Four or five eagers, most of them Tigers, were sprawled on the hardwood almost anytime anyone was interested enough to look.

### Reserve Team Used

Chillicothe added five points in the first period while the Tigers went scoreless. In the second Andrews scored three for the locals while the Red Devils were boosting their total to 14. The third session ended 18 to 6. In the last quarter Coach Jack Landrum inserted his reserve team while Chillicothe coach, Young, kept his regulars in all the time.

In the preliminary, Chillicothe was also the victor, 21-13. Bremen has cancelled its game against the locals and instead Hemlock Central high, wherever that may be, has been booked for Dec. 27 on the Hemlock court.

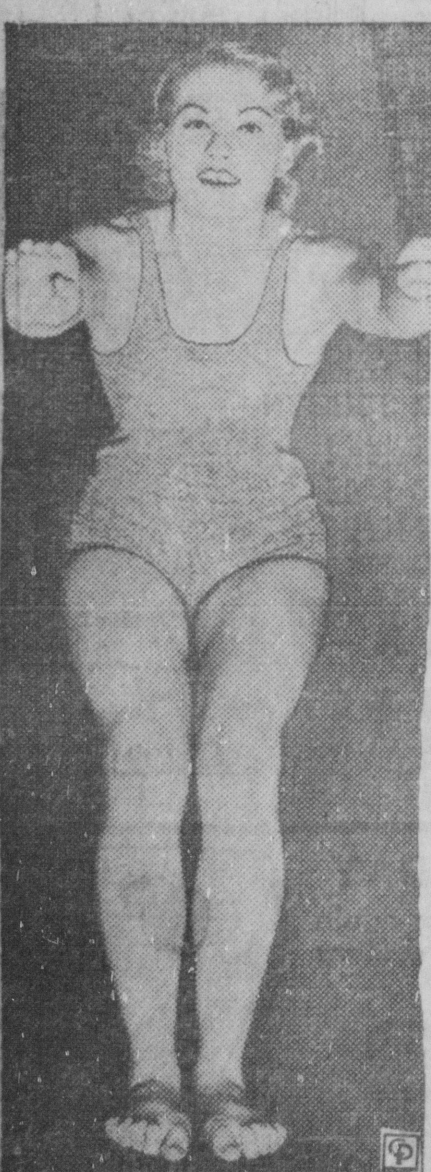
The lineups:

Chillicothe—23									
	G	F	M	P	T				
Higley f	5	1	3	0	11				
Jones f	2	0	0	0	4				
Plum f	2	0	0	0	4				
Straugh g	1	1	2	0	3				
Sommers g	0	0	0	0	2				
Trainer g	0	1	2	0	1				
TOTALS	10	3	7	7	23				

Circleville—9									
	G	F	M	P	T				
Styers f	1	0	0	2	2				
Jackson f	0	0	0	1	0				
Francis f	0	0	0	0	0				
Andrews f	1	1	1	2	3				
Plum f	0	0	0	0	0				
Melson c	0	2	1	1	2				
Henry g	0	0	4	0	0				
Scott g	0	0	0	0	0				
Frisley g	1	0	0	0	2				
Pickard g	0	0	0	1	0				
TOTALS	3	3	6	5	9				

Chillicothe—21									
	G	F	M	P	T				
Kidnacker f	2	0	0	0	10				
Hess f	1	0	0	0	0				
Conley f	2	0	0	0	0				
Ludwig c	1	0	0	0	0				
Skinner c	1	1	2	0	1				
Williams g	2	0	0	0	0				
TOTALS	9	3	2	0	10				

## It's Offishial!



**B** LOND Phyllis Jensen, star swimmer of Salt Lake City, is Utah's new champion fancy diver. She won her title offishially during the recent "A.A.U." swimming meet in Salt Lake City, scoring 92 points.

## Veteran Still Rides



**H**ERO of English Derbies and other famous races, Jockey Steve Donoghue is pictured arriving in New York from London. He is on his way to Australia where he will continue to ride.

## MCAVOY CLOUTS RISK, CHAMPION

British Light-Heavy Wins in First of Non-Title Go

NEW YORK, Dec. 21—(INS)—The "alibi committee" lost no time today in explaining last night's one-round kayo of middleweight champion Babe Risko by Jock McAvoy, holder of the British middleweight and light-heavyweight titles.

In as savage an attack as has been seen since the never-to-be-forgotten Dempsey-Firpo shambles, the Britisher licked the 160-pound champ with his first right hand punch, but had to lay on two more rights and a couple of lefts before Risko stayed down for the fatal "ten." The end came in 2:48. Gabe Genovese, Risko's manager, hopped right on the alibi bandwagon this morning with a bitter complaint he had been tricked about the weights.

"We had a gentleman's agreement to fight at 165 pounds," he declared. "McAvoy weighed 168. We will fight him at the middleweight limit for the world's title within 30 days, if he will accept the match."

"Yes, I want that," Risko approved. As for the fight itself, Jock plopped Risko to the canvas with a right to the jaw before the bell's echo had a chance to die away. The champ took no count, and came up to meet another right that sent him bouncing for the count of "6." He staggered up to run smack into a left that grounded him for "5," and got up to sit right down again at the invitation of a swishing left. A final left put him down for keeps.

## CENTER JUMP OPPOSED BY COACHES IN BIG TEN

CHICAGO, Dec. 21—(INS)—Elimination of the center jump in college basketball today reflected the sentiment of middle-west coaches who have sought to speed up the game by this method.

At the same time, a majority of the Big Ten coaches saw no purpose in agitation for glass backboards in college games.

Nels Morgren, basketball coach at the University of Chicago, said: "I think the sentiment throughout the middle-west is for elimination of the center jump. The ball would be put in play from the sidelines. Most of the coaches I have talked to are in disfavor with the center jump. Its elimination would unquestionably speed up the game."

Concerning the glass backboard, Morgren declared: "We tried the glass backboard here in the middle-west several years ago. There is no objection to it, but it adds nothing to the game except in cases where spectators' seats are placed behind the board."

"The rebound naturally is a little faster, we think, but not enough so to make much difference in the play."

An English movement is under way to find the man who invented the collar stud. A harder task might be just to find the stud.

## N. Holland Rallies To Win Again

Saunders' Team Comes from Behind to Defeat Pickaway; Darby Girls on Top

Some facts were established in the county league Friday evening. One of them is that no team can be certain of going through a year with a spotless record.

Pickaway grabbed a 17-13 lead at the half and was topping the Saundersmen 27-25 as the last quarter started. Fourteen personal fouls were called on each team.

New Holland girls, though unbeaten, were unceremoniously tumbled off their ladder as the Pickaway girls grabbed a 35 to 10 victory.

Darby-twop girls established themselves as the top-notch team, to date, winning 37-4 from Jackson on the small Derby court. The Darby girls are the only unbeaten lassies in the county this morning.

In other games Darby boys beat Jackson's varsity, 14-10, in a rough game. Thirty-one personal fouls were called with the entire Jackson first string being benched for violations.

Perry-twop, led by Schiering and Campbell, topped Monroe in a game played in Williamsport. The score was 27-21. The Monroe girls continued to have an outside chance for the title by returning to the victory column in a 13-9 game.

Ashtown played outside the county loop, drubbing Kingston 36-17 at Ashtown. Steinbrook was the big noise in the Ashtown offense counting 15 points. The Ashtown girls were vanquished, 30-11.

Several other county games were played during the week.

### COUNTY LEAGUE GAMES

Boys									
	G	F	M	P	T				
New Holland—34						Pickaway—29			
Speakman f	3	1	1	0	1	Graves f	1	2	2
R Dennis f	1	0	0	0	0	Anderson f	4	4	4
Hosler f	0	0	0	0	0	Rhoades f	2	0	0
Landman c	4	0	0	0	0	Warner c	0	0	2
Ater g	3	3	3	0	2	Dunkle g	2	2	2
H Dennis g	3	1	1	0	0	Riffe g	0	0	0
						Kitchen g	0	0	0
TOTALS	14	6	9	11					

(New Holland lost Hosler and Pickaway lost Rhoades and Riffe on fouls.)

Girls									
	G	F	M	P	T				
Darby—14						Jackson—10			
Tracy f	0	2	0	0	0	Keller f	0	0	0
Luff c	0	0	0	0	0	Black f	0	0	0
Green g	1	0	0	0	0	Florence c	0	0	0
Harlan g	0	0	0	0	0	Speakman c	0	0	1
						Ruff f	0	0	0
						Cardiff f	0	0	0
						Wolfe f	0	0	0
						Hulse c	0	0	0
						Thacher g	0	0	0
						Hoover c	0	0	0
TOTALS	5	4	3	4					

Girls: Darby, 37; Jackson, 4.

Boys									
	G	F	M	P	T				
Atlanta—28						Monroe—21			
Campbell f	4	0	0	0	0	K Walters f	0	1	0
Lemley f	0	0	0	0	0	E Walters f	0	0	0
G Skinner f	0	0	0	0	0	Terrell c	1	3	1
Lamb c	0	1	2	0	0	Holloway c	3	2	0
Steinbrook g	1	1	0	0	0	Gardner g	0	0	0
Schiering g	3	4	0	0	0	Long g	0	0	0
J Skinner g	0	1	1	0	0	Hill g	0	3	1
TOTALS	10	8	7	7					

Girls: Monroe, 13; Atlanta, 9.

Boys									
	G	F	M	P	T				
Ashtown—36						Kingston—17			
Gray f	4	1	1	0	0	Minger f	0	0	0
Greig f	2	0	0	0	0	Kelly f	0	1	1
Reid f	0	0	0	0	0	Sims f	0	1	1
Mallory f	0	0	0	0	0	Straugh c	2	0	0
Young c	3	2	0	0	0	Ross c	1	0	0
Steinbrook g	1	1	0	0	0	Gardner g	0	0	0
Hedges g	0	0	0	0	0	Yanle g	0	0	0
C Gray g	0	0	0	0	0	Miller g	3	0	0
Hoover g	0	0	0	0	0				
Cline g	0	0	0	0	0				
TOTALS	16	4	4	0	0				

Girls: Kingston, 30; Ashtown, 11.

## OOSTERBAAN MAY COACH AT TOLEDO UNIVERSITY

ANN ARBOR, Mich., Dec. 21—(INS)—Reports were current here today that Bennie Oosterbaan, assistant University of Michigan line coach, was dickering with the University of Toledo for the job of head football coach there.

Oosterbaan has been attached to the Wolverine staff since he was graduated from the school, where he starred on the gridiron. His salary was reported to be about \$4,000 a year.

## BASKETBALL! Christmas Night C. A. C. Gym HOUSE OF DAVID ATHLETIC CLUB

With Tiny Reichert, 8 foot 1 inch center versus Preliminary at 7:30, High Reserves vs. Junior C. A. C. Admission: Adults, 35 cents; Children, 15 cents

## About This And That In Many Sports

Reichert Some Boy

My, oh my—This guy, Tiny Reichert who stands 8 feet and 1 inch above the level of the floor, should pack them into the CAC gymnasium Christmas night—Reichert, his managers would have you believe, is just 21, he could light a cigarette from a



lamppost, weighs 365 pounds, wears No. 23 shoe, wants to be a professional fighter, cannot get into a telephone booth, has never been sick, eats like an elephant\*\*\*

Those are just a few of the things his managers point out as virtues—We rather imagine he can score baskets, too \*\*\*

### Good Sportsmanship

Chillicothe high school cheerleaders showed a real spirit last night—When Chuck Styers was bumped in the head in a scrimmage and was forced to leave the game, a cheer went up for the local cager—John Griffith was back on the squad Friday evening and saw some action in the reserve game; he caged six points—

### League Cagers Beaten

Central Buckeye league cagers had a bad evening, Friday—The Tigers lost at Chillicothe; Bexley was nosed out, 13-11, by Dayton Fairmount; Grandview lost, 16-26, to Arlington; Marysville was dropped, 34-9, by North; Marion beat Delaware, 39-30, and Mt. Vernon took Westerville, 32-10 \*\*\*

### Some Cage Scores

East, 19, Marietta, 18; Central, 30, Lancaster, 19; Springfield, 32, Lima South, 24; Akron West, 24, Dover, 15; Akron Central, 27, Youngstown Rayen, 22; Barberton, 27, Kenmore, 22; Cincinnati Woodward, 27, Hughes, 20; Aquinas, 28, Liberty Union, 13; Michigan, 40, Wooster, 22; Nebraska, 41, Minnesota, 24; Kansas State, 39, Missouri, 25 \*\*\*

### COUNTY STANDINGS

BOYS									
	W	L	PCT.						
Ashtown	5	0	1.000						
New Holland	4	0	1.000						
Muhlenberg	2	0	1.000						
Williamsport	4	1	.800						
Atlanta	3	3	.500						
Pickaway	2	2	.500						
Monroe	3	3	.500						
Jackson	3	3	.500						
Scioto	2	2	.500						
Darby	1	4	.200						
Walnut	0	4	.000						
Salterreek	0	5	.000						
Washington	0	5	.000						

GIRLS									
	W	L	PCT.						
Darby	5	0	1.000						
Monroe	3	1	.750						
Salterreek	3	1	.750						
New Holland	1	1	.500						
Muhlenberg	2	1	.667						
Walnut	2	1	.667						
Ashtown	3	2	.600						
Pickaway	2	2	.500						
Washington	3	3	.500						
Atlanta	2	3	.400						
Scioto	0	4	.000						
Williamsport	0	5	.000						
Jackson	0	6	.000						

It would be detrimental to hog producers and to pork consumers if hog numbers expanded excessively. Therefore, the new corn-hog contract has been devised to permit expansion in 1936 and to safeguard against excessive production the following year.

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CONTRACT BRIDGE By E. A. SHEPARD, Famous Bridge Teacher

**PLANNING ATTACK**

SOMETIMES IT is no better than a guess to try picking the best method of fulfilling declarer's contract. Today's hand offered such a problem to East, who studied the holdings of his side and the opening lead, and then chose the incorrect method of play.

Bidding went: West, 1-Club; East, 1-Spade; West, 2-No Trumps; East, 2-Spades; West, 4-Diamonds; East, 4-Spades.

The opening lead was the K of diamonds, and declarer was in with his Ace. From declarer's point of view, establishment of diamonds could be accomplished, giving East 6 spade tricks; no hearts required; a single low diamond trick could be

which red suit to discard. He let go his 3 hearts. Had the 6 adversely held trumps been divided 3-3, or had the 4 adversely held diamonds been held 2-2, all would have been well. With the two bad breaks of opposing strength, declarer was unable to capture 4 opposing spades, and at the same time stand being ruffed 3 times, and he went down on his game contract.

Suppose declarer had let go his 8 low diamonds on dummy's 3 club tricks, and kept his 3 low hearts. Declarer's first 5 tricks would have been the Ace of diamonds, Ace of spades and the 3 top honors held in clubs. After that have play go: lead the K of spades, then lead the J of spades, giving North the first defensive trick.

North will ruff declarer, by leading the thirteenth club. For the tenth trick declarer will lead his last trump, picking up the last missing spade, and leaving him with his three low hearts. The way East played the hand, each remaining player has just 3 hearts. Lead a low heart. South will play low. West's J of hearts will force North either to overplay with his Q, or to lose the one added trick required by declarer to make game. No matter how North plays his hearts he will win 2 tricks and he must give the boys a single trick in the suit.

Five spade tricks, 1 heart trick, 1 diamond trick and 3 club tricks, making a total of 10 tricks, just give East an easy game, while his pet method of playing the contract left him a trick down.

won, making 2 tricks total for the suit; 3 tricks could be won in clubs, or a total of 10 tricks.

Dummy's Ace of spades took the second trick, and its 3 clubs were run. On them declarer had to choose

Q 8 4 2  
A Q 7  
9  
J 7 6 3 2  
K J 10  
9 7 5  
9 3 2  
A 7 6 4  
None  
A K Q 9  
6 8  
10 8 5 4  
K Q J  
10 8 5 4

CROSSWORD PUZZLE

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
10				11			12	
13				14			15	16
17							18	
19				20	21		22	
23								
24	25		26				27	28
29							30	
31			32	33			34	
35			36				37	
38							39	40

**ACROSS**

1-Strip of leather to sharpen razors  
5-Birthplace of Mohammed  
10-Neat  
12-A snare  
13-Roent  
14-Frighten  
16-Consumed  
17-Fox  
18-Conclude  
19-S-shaped worm  
20-To be able (to do something)  
22-Attempt

23-Kind of glass containing lead  
24-Small pear-shaped fruit  
26-A single unit  
27-An abyss  
29-A fresh  
30-Masculine name  
31-Fleshy tissue around a tooth  
32-Printer's measures  
34-Wholly  
35-Crude metals  
37-Analogous (abbr.)  
38-Proofs  
39-Graves

7-A trade  
8-Larva of a butterfly  
9-Mimicry  
11-Proceed  
14-A tornado  
15-Conquerors  
21-A French river  
24-A bundle of sticks

25-Athletic contests  
27-A tool for smoothing boards  
28-Taxes  
33-Third note of the scale  
36-Street (abbr.)  
37-The three-toed sloth

**DOWN**

1-A gay frolic  
2-Change  
3-Formal customs  
4-A Hindu mystic  
6-And (L.)

**ANSWER TO PREVIOUS PUZZLE**

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V DROOLS NE  
S ANNE CV  
ELAM AVERSE  
NON PALE R  
GENERATIONS  
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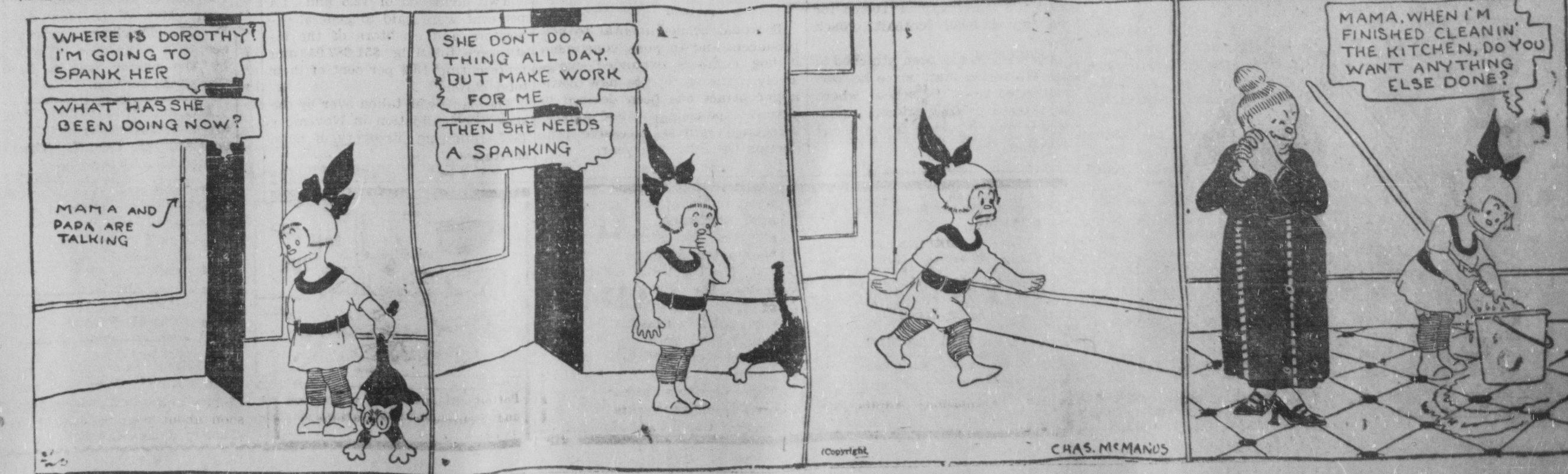
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FARMS TO BE APPRAISED UNDER CORN-HOG PROGRAM

MAY ANNOUNCES NEW METHOD TO HELP IN BASES

Community Committeemen to Have Important Role; All Farms to Be Valued

All corn and hog bases under the new adjustment program will be determined by the appraisal method which permits the assignment of equitable bases to cooperating producers. This is a new procedure under adjustment contracts, David May, county compliance agent, announced today.

Community committeemen, familiar with the farms in their neighborhoods, will make the appraisals. The county allotment committee will check their recommendations and iron out any inequalities that may exist among producers and among the various communities in the county. The state board of review will make such adjustments as are necessary in order to insure uniform treatment among counties. The farm of every applicant for a corn-hog contract will be appraised.

Bases under the first adjustment programs were determined by the historical method only, using the average production figures for 1932 and 1933. The adjustments required from the historical basis, however, were unfair to some producers, Mr. May points out.

Committeemen, in making the appraisals, will take into account the type of farming followed, the land use practices, the kind of soil, the production in recent years, the lay of the land, the equipment for farming, and other factors affecting corn and hog production on the farm.

Fair bases to all contract signers and a proper use of the land are major objectives of the appraisal procedure. The establishment of fair bases will not only make the program attractive to a larger number of farmers, Mr. May says, but will make it possible for new producers to take part in the adjustment program.

Court News

**MARRIAGE LICENSES**

Raymond Howard Perdue, 24, grocer, Columbus, and Viva Mae Frances, Circleville.

Orville Newton, 57, driver, and Sophronia P. Brown, both of Ash-vill.

**PROBATE COURT**

Noah G. Spangler estate, first and final account.

George Valentine guardianship, first partial account.

**COMMON PLEAS COURT**

The Circleville Savings & Bank-ing Co., v. Jack Taylor, doing busi-ness as the Taylor Motor Sales, ac-tion in replevin.

Ethyl C. Cook v. D. R. Rhea, an-swer and cross petition filed.

Mainly About People

ONE MINUTE PULPIT

When the wicked rise, men hide themselves; but when they perish, the righteous increase.—Proverbs 28:28.

Judge Harley M. Whiteraff, Logan, will be a candidate for the Republican nomination for judge of the Fourth district court of appeals.

Burdette Timmons, of Williams-port, who is seriously ill in Grant hospital, Columbus, is slightly im-proved.

Stuart B. Walling, clerk in the Portsmouth N. & W. shop, has been named a member of the ad-visory committee of the railroad's relief fund.

Ervin Leist, Watt-st has been employed as chemist at the J. W. Eshelman and Sons Milling Co. He began his duties the first of the week.

Frank Lynch, Coca Cola king, gave a half dozen bottles of the soft drink to each member of the school bands Friday as a holiday gift.

Mrs. Sam Williams of near Orient is improving in White Cross hospital, Columbus, after a major operation Tuesday.

The Kiwanis club program Mon-day evening in Hanley's tearoom will be under the direction of E. A. Brown. Readings and music will be presented. A meeting of directors for 1936 will be held im-mediately after the regular meet-ing.

R. H. Sponsler, Walnut-twp school superintendent will spend the Christmas holidays at his home in North Baltimore.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Althaus plan a trip in the south during the Christmas vacation period. Mr. Althaus is commercial instructor at Pickaway-twp.

MILLS BACK "HOME"

LONDON, O.—Frankie Mills, 36, who was sent to the peniten-tiary for life for the murder of a Western Union messenger in Day-ton and whose sentence was com-muted to expire on June 1, 1937, is back at the London prison farm after a brief 'vacation' from the Lebanon honor camp farm of the Lebanon institution.

Mills walked away from the Lebanon farm on August 19, and was returned to the farm recently from Berea, Kentucky, where he was recaptured.

Mills life sentence for first de-gree murder was commuted by former Gov. George White. The commutation will hold good, de-spite his walkaway from the Leba-non farm, officials of the prison farm reported.

Those Wisconsin war veterans collecting relics to portray the hor-ror of battle might consider a bid on Uzcudun after his argument with Joe Louis.

THE OLD HOME TOWN



ITALY MUSTERS MORE SOLDIERS AS BRITISH ACT

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concentrated around Naples for speedy embarkation.

They will replace the division withdrawn several weeks ago to ease Italo-British tension, when it was vainly hoped that Britain would reciprocate by recalling some of her battleships from the Mediterranean.

The grand council had before it a first-hand account of the w a r from Count Galeazzo Ciano, Mus-solini's flying son-in-law, who was made a member of the council when he returned from the front to reassume direction of the press ministry.

After carefully considering the European and African situations with all their grave possibilities, the council issued this statement: "Italy remains inflexibly deter-mined to continue foreign defense of this nation's inalienable rights. "Disorientation and confusion in the enemy (sanctionist) camp makes it unnecessary to make any clear-cut statement on the peace proposals.

"The plebiscite of gold was proof of the powerful resistance Italy can offer against sanctions. "Fascism's industries and agri-culture have pledged themselves to resist to the end the vain at-tempt to suffocate Italy."

The "plebiscite" took the form of gifts of wedding rings and other gold pieces all over the country on "faith day" Wednes-day.

The council will meet again Jan. 18.

COAL DEALERS WARNED

NEW LEXINGTON, O.—Under the Guffey Coal Act, producers of bituminous coal must file a return for the calendar month of Novem-ber on or before Jan. 2, 1936, ac-cording to A. P. McGeague, inter-nal revenue deputy collector here. Returns for December must be filed on or before Feb. 1, 1936. A tax of 15 per cent of the sales price at the mine attaches to all bituminous coal.

MARKETS

CLOSING MARKETS

Furnished by the Pickaway County Farm Bureau.

**CHICAGO**

Hog Receipts, 8500, 10c@15c lower; Mediums, 160-230, \$9.45 @ \$9.55; Lights, 130-160, \$9.25; Sows, \$8.25; Cattle, 800, Calves 600, Lambs 1000.

**PITTSBURGH**

Hog Receipts, 1200, steady; Med-iums, 250-350, \$9.75@10.10; Lights 136-250, \$10.10; Sows, \$8.75; Cattle, \$8@10.25.

**CINCINNATI**

Hog Receipts, 1010, 10c lower; Heavy, 250-300, \$9.40@9.50; Med-iums, 225-250, \$9.75; Lights, 160-225, \$9.90; Cattle, 150, 25c@50c lower; Calves 150, \$9.50@10.50; Lambs, \$11@11.50; Cows, \$9.50.

**INDIANAPOLIS**

Hog Receipts, 1000, 15c lower; Heavy, 200, \$9.30@9.40; 225-300, \$9.50@9.60; Mediums, 160-225, \$9.65 @ \$9.75; Lights 10c lower; Pigs 100-160, \$9.75@9.85; Sows, \$8@8.50; Cattle, 50; Calves 50, \$9.50; Lambs 1000.

GERMANY BUILDS PLANE TO REACH U. S. IN 7 HOURS

Stratosphere Airliner Ready; First Tests Completed Successfully

BERLIN—Germany has stolen a march on aviation science of other lands and in secrecy per-fected and completed a motor-driven heavier-than-air strato-spheric plane, which is expected to reach New York seven or eight hours after leaving Berlin.

First tests of the "Ju 49", as the stratosphere traveller is known for the time being, have been com-pleted successfully. Reliable sources explained to International News Service that average speeds of from 350 to 500 m. p. h. can be attained. German flying experts point out that the race to gain advantage in the air has thus been won by Germany against the United States, France, Italy and Soviet Russia, which also have been experimenting with strato-spheric flying for intercontinental traffic.

The "Ju 49" is the product of the famous Junkers works at Dessau, Anhalt province, where scientists and the technical staff have been busy on it for five years. The isolated shed housing the machine now is guarded day and night to balk espionage.

The builders say that the "Ju. 49" will travel at altitudes of be-tween 35,000 and 50,000 feet. The major difficulty of feeding the crew and motor with sufficient quantities of oxygen at heights where pressure is 1-9 or 1-10th of normal has been solved, they be-lieve. The cabin of the German plane is air proof and can be heat-ed electrically, and a centrifugal blower supplies the cylinders of the motor with sufficient gas sup-ply at all altitudes.

In contrast to French and Amer-ican solutions of the breathing problem (on the French Farman stratosphere plane the pilot has to leave the air-proof cabin for hopping off and landing and in America the ill-fated Wiley Post used an airproof suit), ventilation of the "Ju-49" cabin is entirely automatic once the crew and pas-sengers have slammed shut the doors. Oxygen generators such as used on German submarines pro-vides breathing air and exhausts of special construction suck away the used air. Moreover, the plane is equipped with a special safety device providing fresh air for the occupants if the generators should fail.

A new feature of the German plane is that a crude-oil motor is used, reducing the dangers of fire and explosion. Specially con-structed for stratosphere flying the motor develops no less than 700 H. P., with exhaust gases leaving the cylinders at a pressure of four atmospheres (kilograms per square centimeter.) They are compressed by a special centrif-ugal blower, which increase the pressure to about ten atmospheres. These highly compressed gases are used to drive the altitude super-charger fitted to the motor. Ger-

GRADE OPERETTA WINS APPLAUSE OF LARGE CROWD

A large crowd of school pupils, parents, and friends saw the splendid presentation of the oper-etta, "In Quest of Santa Claus," put on by the first six grades and special education room No. 1 of Corwin-st school Friday night in the high school auditorium.

Too much can not be said of the manner in which the production was presented. The audience showed its appreciation of all four scenes of the play by its loud ap-plause.

The main characters were por-trayed by Virginia McDowell as Jane; Fred Barr as Santa Claus; Robert Kline, Wongaloo; Betty Gluthe, Kindness; Rosemary Brown Helpfulness; Dorothy Reid, Good Will; Margaret Boggs, Unselfish-ness; and Gloria Reid, Love. The last five were Christmas fairies.

The remainder of the cast were in the choruses of rabbits, snow-flakes, brownies, sunbeams, toy soldiers, dolls, and goblins.

Miss Elizabeth Tolbert, second grade teacher, was director of the operetta and with the other six teachers deserves much credit for its success. Miss Marguerite Fohl was pianist for the entire musical play and the other teachers who aided included Mrs. Margaret Mills, Miss Helen Cellar, Miss Martha Reid, and Mrs. Channing Vrebeome.

The junior orchestra under the direction of C. F. Zanglein played numbers between scenes and pre-ceding and following the presenta-tion.

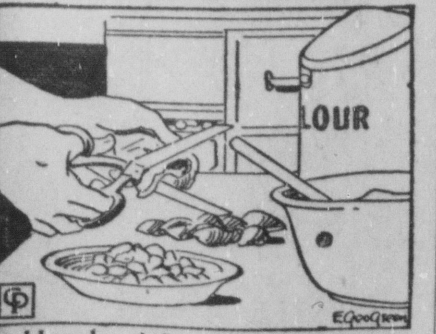
man experts say this German solu-tion is more efficient and fool-proof than the French one.

To cope with the decreasing re-sistance of air in high altitudes, the propeller of the "Ju-49" is of the variable pitch type and adapt-able for maximum speed at all altitudes. The whole motor weighs only 800 kilograms and fuel con-sumption is stated to be less than 25 percent of what gasoline fed motors consume, it was learned.

In addition to the non-explosive crude oil engine, the safety factor in the "Ju-49" is further increased by the fact that it can glide about 130 m. p. h. for at least an hour in case the motor should suddenly go dead in the stratosphere. Its designers point out that under such circumstances it should or-dinarily be possible to find a safe landing place for emergency land-ings.

After all, when one has one of those jutting, rock-ribbed chins like Il Duce's something like the Ethiopian adventure has to be ex-pected.

Wife Preservers



TAXES DELAYED UNTIL IN 1936

Collection Not to Start Until About March 1 in County

The December collection of real estate taxes and special assess-ments will probably not be made in Pickaway-co before March.

It was explained by county of-ficials the state tax commission would not approve rates until the state legislature completed its work on the state tax program. The books for the collection are usually opened on Dec. 1.

KINGSTON

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert H. Sny-der were host and hostess to the Anniversary Club on Saturday evening at their beautiful home on Oak-st. A delicious dinner was enjoyed at 8:30 o'clock. The fol-lowing members were present: Mr. and Mrs. A. Dane Ellis, Mr. and Mrs. Egbert Freshour, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Brundige, Dr. and Mrs. J. P. Gardner, Dr. and Mrs. R. E. Lightner, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Sunderland, Mr. and Mrs. Den-nis H. Dreisback, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. McGinnis, Mr. and Mrs. Paul McGinnis, Mr. Floyd I. Rit-tenour, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Pyle and daughter, Sylvia Ann of Wil-mington, and Mary Elizabeth Snyder were the guests of the club. The Pyle family were the week-end guests at the Snyder home.

Mrs. Henry Jones was called to Lancaster municipal hospital to attend a patient on Saturday eve-ning. She was accompanied to Lancaster by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Hettinger.

Electricity was installed in the L. A. Pyle property on N. Main-st at this week. Kenneth Meadows did the installing.

We omitted in our report of the O. E. S. installation that the re-tiring matron, Mrs. Louise Morris, gave Mrs. Elizabeth Bennett, the retiring secretary, a beautiful gift and Mrs. Morris was the recipi-ent of beautiful twin lamps from her corps of officers.

Among those shopping in Chil-lieothe on Monday were Mrs. S. C. Lightner, Mrs. R. E. Lightner, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Shannon, Mrs. A. Dane Ellis, Miss Mildred Hol-derman, Mrs. J. P. Gardner, Mrs. Clarence Jones, Miss Effie Rich-ter, Mr. and Mrs. David McCork-le, Miss Katherine L. Brundige, Mrs. A. U. Brundige, Mrs. George Delong, Mrs. Charles Chambliss, Mrs. Mary Johnson, Mrs. Paul Kueathardt, Mrs. Jane Leist, Mrs. Margaret Dalbey, Mrs. Clarence Emrick, Mrs. Donald Kempton and Misses Laura Bush and Florella Dresback and Mrs. Norman Rit-ter.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis H. Dreis-back returned on Thursday eve-ning from a trip to Montgomery, Ala., and Orlando, Fla.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Williams and daughter, Marie, of Frank-fort were the guests of their son, Herman Williams and family on Sunday.

The Mothers' Council will hold its regular meeting on Saturday evening, Dec. 21, and will join the Scouts in their Christmas party with an exchange of gifts.

Mrs. Egbert Freshour, Mrs. Louise Morris, Mrs. George L. Borders, Mrs. A. U. Brundige and Miss Carrie Shepard attended the installation service of the Heber Chapter No. 62, Order of Eastern Star, held in Williamsport on Thursday evening. Mrs. Borders was the grand installing organist.

Mr. Stanley Neiswander, Ohio State university student, was the week-end guest of his brother, Rev. Neiswander and family. On Sunday morning during the public worship hour, Mr. Stanley pre-sented a vocal solo, "O Holy Night," accompanied by Mrs. Neiswander. On Sunday night the local O. E. S. members were the guests at the public worship hour. Mrs. W. D. Wood and Mrs. D. N. Fmuler presented a beautiful piano duet. The sermon by the pastor was a beautiful Christmas sermon.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Pontious are announcing the birth of a son on Saturday, Dec. 7. They have named him Victor.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Minshall are announcing the birth of a son on Wednesday, Dec. 11. They have named him George Richard.

Mr. and Mrs. Clem Atwood are announcing the birth of a daugh-ter on December 13. They have named her Mary Anne.

I believe that national prohibi-tion will be back by 1945 and with a more thorough enforcement than America ever has had before. —Bishop James Cannon, Jr.

Bride for Day



IF LAURA HOVER, above, California beauty contest win-ner and daughter of the socially prominent Los Angeles oil pro-ducer, is looking perturbed in above picture, you may agree she has a right to. Laura says she eloped with Homer L. Loomis, Jr., scion of a New York family, and that they lived to-gether one day before he left Loomis says he can't remember anything about it.

STORES PREPARE FOR STEADY RUSH OF YULE BUSINESS

Circleville, well known as a Saturday night city, was prepared today for the largest throng of pre-holiday shoppers in many years.

Local merchants have reported fine business during the last two weeks and are now ready for the last-minute rush period. Many have reordered stocks of both practical and luxury gifts, and extra salespeople have been added.

"Last minute" shoppers will find the local stores have fine merchandise that will suit the taste of every member of their family and fit every pocketbook.

Food stores have delightful dis-plays of choice fruits, vegetables, meats and Christmas dainties.

Fine stocks of all types of Christmas merchandise, beautiful windows and street decorations make shopping and a trip uptown a real pleasure.



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JUDGES GATHER TO ARGUE CASES

Farm and Power Program May Be Debated in Meeting

WASHINGTON, Dec. 21.—(INS)—The Supreme court battle over constitutionality of vital Roos-velt administration laws move toward a showdown today.

The nine justices of the high court met behind closed doors in conference today at which val-ity of the farm and power pro-gram of the administration may be debated.

Suspending arguments until January 6, the high court planned to devote its whole time to pre-paring decisions in the important cases before it.

While the court will meet for decision day on Monday, the ses-sion of January 6 loomed as one which may either rock or fortify the administration.

Not only will the high court opinions affect the administra-tion's acts, but they may either prolong or shorten the session of congress which begins January 3.

SCHALL LITTLE BETTER

WASHINGTON, Dec. 21. —(INS)—A slight improvement in the condition of Senator Schall of Minnesota was reported to-day by Dr. George Calver, Con-gressional physician. The blind senator was critically injured Thursday night when struck by an automobile. "His condition is regarded as slightly improv-ed," Dr. Calver said.

INSTALL A 'PHONE CHRISTMAS!

IT'S INEXPENSIVE BUT EXTREMELY PRACTICAL

Stage Show at The Grand



This stellar performer appears in "Harlem Broadcast" at the the Grand Sunday.



## RELIEF FROM FRIGID WAVE FORECAST

### ITALY MUSTERS MORE SOLDIERS AS BRITISH ACT

Nation Determined to "Follow  
Path Toward Goal Set  
By Mussolini"

### AUSTRIA TO AID DUCE

Warring Country to Be Ready  
for Any "Eventuality"  
Brought Against It

ROME, Dec. 21.—(INS)—Word that Britain seeks mobilization of Mediterranean powers to fight Italy, if necessary, today brought decisive action from Premier Mussolini and his Fascist grand council aimed to clean up the Ethiopian campaign with dispatch and prepare for "any eventuality" in the Mediterranean.

Four thousand soldiers were on their way to Ethiopia in the transport Lombard, while the fast, mechanized Trento division stood ready to leave at a moment's notice for Libya, next to the Egyptian frontier, where Britain has ground and aerial reinforcements.

### Proceed Toward Goal

Enjoying a hearty laugh over the embarrassment caused Britain and France by the Paris peace proposals, the Fascist grand council met at a three-day meeting with Mussolini broke up at 1 a. m. today, vowing Italy's "inflexible determination" to proceed towards the "goal set by Mussolini for the destinies of the nation."

Now that the plan to give half of Ethiopia to Italy has been abandoned, Italy will not bother to reply at all to Paris and London, an official spokesman said today.

"Italy goes straight along on her own path," he emphasized. "If more proposals are made, Italy will study them, but meanwhile she marches straight ahead." Assured that Austria would not participate in military measures against Italy, the government weakened the defense of the Brenner pass by withdrawing the Trento division of 12,000 men.

### Equipment Ready

Most of its motorized equipment is understood to be ready to sail from Leghorn, and the troops are (Continued on Page Six)

### MRS. GEORGE BYERS DIES IN DELAWARE HOSPITAL

Mrs. Florence Byers, 40, wife of George Byers, 414 E. Mound-st., died Friday at 6:15 p. m. in Jane Case sanitarium, Delaware, of tuberculosis after a lengthy illness. She had been a patient in the sanitarium for nine weeks.

The funeral will be Monday at 2 p. m. in the United Brethren church, Rev. T. C. Harper officiating. Burial will be in Forest cemetery by M. S. Rinehart.

Mrs. Byers was born in Kentucky June 4, 1895 a daughter of John and Julia Artrip Deere. She married George Byers in this city Sept. 24, 1909.

Besides the husband, she is survived by two sons, George Edward and William Franklin, at home, and a half-sister, Mrs. Van Smith, this city.

### 100 Years Old



SMOKING, chewing and drinking wine never seemed to phase him during the first 100 years, so Abraham Greenburg, above, plans the same routine for the next 25 years—he hopes to live that long. Greenburg, a Chicagoan, is pictured celebrating his 100th birthday—with wine.

### PEDESTRIAN HIT BY CAR, INJURED

Harry Friley of Ashville Struck  
By Hoover Auto

ASHVILLE, Dec. 21.—Harry Friley, carpenter employed at the Hedges Lumber Co., suffered head injuries Friday evening at Long and Madison-sts., when struck by an auto driven by J. S. Hoover, west side meat dealer.

Mr. Hoover took Friley to Dr. R. S. Hosler for treatment.

### CONVICTED MAN'S CHRISTMAS TO BE WITHOUT VISITOR

TRENTON, N. J., Dec. 21.—(INS)—Bruno Richard Hauptmann's death-house Christmas will be a cheerless one, it was revealed today.

Col. Mark O. Kimberling, principal keeper at the New Jersey state prison, announced that no one would be permitted to visit the condemned slayer of the Lindbergh baby.

Last Christmas Hauptmann was in jail in Flemington awaiting the start of his trial and had turkey. This year his death house fare will consist of pork, soup, mashed potatoes, apple sauce, celery, mince pie and coffee.

Hauptmann announced last night through his attorney, C. Lloyd Fisher, that he would complete over the week-end his answers to the 34 questions in his petition to the court of pardons for commutation of sentence.

### BURGETT BOUND OVER IN HOG THEFT CASE

Andy Burgett, Five Points, was bound to the grand jury under \$500 bond Friday afternoon by H. O. Evcland, justice of peace, on an embezzlement charge.

The charge was filed by George Puckett, New Holland, Rt. 2, who contends Burgett disposed of hogs valued at \$49.87 on last March 13. Burgett denied the charge and provided bond.

### FIVE YOUTHS, 9 TO 11, ADMIT GRAIN CO. THEFT

Two burglaries at the Pickaway Grain Co. have been cleared up by Police Chief William McCrady announced today.

The chief reported five youth ranging in age from 9 to 11 were involved but no charges had been filed against them. A rifle was taken from the company on Oct. 30 and a candy vending machine raided Dec. 14.

### TRIAL OF CADY'S ELECTION ACTION STARTS MONDAY

Judge Dechant of Lebanon to  
Occupy Bench; Five Wit-  
nesses Called

### ADKINS TO AID CRIST

Many Irregularities in Recent  
Voting Charged By  
Both Sides

The stage appeared set for the opening of the mayoralty contest case of Mayor W. B. Cady against Will J. Graham, mayor elect, in common pleas court Monday before visiting Judge Charles B. Dechant of Lebanon.

Emmitt L. Crist, of the counsel for Mr. Cady, filed an order Saturday morning in court for subpoenas to be issued to five persons, Luella Heeter, Harold Rambo, Mary Russell, Wendell Russell and Beatrice Keaton. No addresses were given.

### Adkins Will Assist

From all indications Attorney George G. Adkins will assist Mr. Crist as counsel for Mayor Cady. The condition of C. A. Leist, co-counsel originally with Mr. Crist, was reported unchanged Saturday noon and it was doubtful if he would be able to take part in the hearing. The case was postponed last Saturday due to Mr. Leist's illness.

Both sides charge a number of irregularities in the election which resulted in a tie vote. Mr. Graham was chosen by lot by the Board of Elections and given a three-vote margin in the recount.

### To Decide on Bond

One of the first points to be settled will be the contention of the Mr. Graham's attorneys that Mayor Cady failed to file a bond, with sureties approved by the clerk, with his petition. It further contends the court has not issued or entered any order for notice and service of a copy of the petition. Mayor Cady left a cash deposit of \$50 with the clerk when filing the petition.

Attorneys for Mr. Graham are Weldon and Weldon and John P. Phillips, Jr., Chillicothe, Republican committeeman of the 11th district.

### WOMAN, 36, PERISHES TRYING TO SAVE GIRLS

WARWICK, R. I., Dec. 21.—Bravely returning into her blazing home to save her two daughters, Mrs. Gladys Barrett, 36, today perished in the flames with the two little girls.

Her husband and two sons were injured during the fire.

Mrs. Barrett discovered the blaze and aroused the household with her screams. She rushed outside to sound an alarm and then returned to get her daughters, Gladys, 8, and Mildred, 2.

Her husband, Joseph, sleeping on the second floor with his sons, Wallace, 14, and Earl, 11, dropped the two boys to safety from a bedroom window. Going downstairs to aid his wife and daughters, Barrett was met with a sheet of flame which burst through a wall. He fell at the foot of the stairs and crawled to the door, a living torch. His sons met him at the door and dragged him outside.

### CARLOADS OF BRICK FOR COURT-ST EXPECTED SOON

Five carloads of paving brick for the Court-st WPA project are scheduled to arrive next week.

The street has been completed over the Mill-st intersection and if weather permits the work will be continued to Union-st, officials announced.

Present plans are to keep the men at work on the Court-st project as long as the weather permits or until definite word is received about the tile for the sewer program.

### As Hollywood Bid Farwell to Thelma Todd



MORE than 12,000 persons in every walk of life filed past the bier of Thelma Todd before final rites were held for the glamorous film comedienne, whose death had baffled authorities.

Photo show the open casket in a Los Angeles funeral parlor. The last portrait of Miss Todd is at the right.

### Race for G.O.P. Delegates In State To Be Spirited

All to Be Pledged for Favorite Son, Then Will Switch to Either  
Landon, Knox or Borah; 52 to Be Selected

COLUMBUS, Dec. 21.—(INS)—A spirited three-cornered race for delegates pledged to support presidential candidates has developed in Ohio, a survey of Republican state leaders indicated today.

Alfred M. Landon, governor of Kansas and a former resident of Marietta; U. S. Sen. William Borah, of Idaho and Col. Frank Knox, Chicago publisher, have shown no indication of entering the state in person to push their candidacy for the G. O. P. presidential nomination, but their friends are working diligently to muster public opinion in preparation for the national convention next year in Cleveland.

### News Flashes

#### JURY CONVICTS ARSONIST

MARIETTA, Dec. 21.—It took a Marietta jury only 48 minutes to convict Clyde Hildebrand of arson in the burning of the Marietta city hall Nov. 10. Hildebrand was sentenced to Ohio penitentiary for one to 10 years. He was in jail for intoxication when he set fire to the building which also houses city offices. Five other prisoners narrowly escaped injury in the flames.

#### FIVE PASSENGERS HURT

PORT OF SPAIN, Trinidad, Dec. 21.—Five of the 15 occupants of the Pan-American clipper ship, which crashes as it struck shallow water while landing last night, were treated in a hospital for serious injuries. The other passengers and crew were bruised and suffered shock. The accident was described by airline officials as the first in this area in seven years of operation.

#### EXPORTS INCREASING

WASHINGTON, Dec. 21.—November exports increased to \$299,400,000, the commerce department announced today, gain of 22 per cent over October and 38 per cent over last November. The increase was attributed to shipments of cotton, automobiles and petroleum to Mediterranean port.

#### CHILICOTHE MAYOR NAMES HESS, ATWELL

CHILICOTHE, Dec. 21.—Mayor-elect James E. Ford, who defeated Walter Barrett, incumbent, despite his failure to gain support of some of the political "bigwigs" of the town, today announced his cabinet.

The service director, who also is city engineer, is Edgar D. Hess, and his safety director will be Oswald B. Atwell, active Kiwanian and an automobile dealer. Alphonse F. Muller has been designated as assistant-engineering director.

Mr. Atwell is the son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Neuding, E. Main-st. His wife is the former Miss Helen Neuding.

### MILNE REMOVED FROM HOSPITAL

"Something of Importance"  
Predicted at Noon

DOYLESTOWN, Pa., Dec. 21.—(INS)—Caleb Milne, 4th., wealthy Philadelphia kidnap victim, was spirited out of the Doylestown hospital in a surprise move by G-men shortly before 8 a. m. today.

Milne's mother, Mrs. Frederica Milne, and his brother, Aubrey, called at the hospital in a high-powered car and several G-men immediately bundled the 23-year-old youth into the rear seat.

A moment later the car was roaring off towards Philadelphia. Harold O. Nathan, head of the G-men working on the case, was standing in front of the hospital when the car drove off, but he flatly refused to say where Milne was being taken.

Nathan told the reporters to meet him in Philadelphia at noon, when "something of importance" would be given out.

The G-men chief said several of his men would remain with Milne today, but he made it clear that the youth was not in custody of any sort.

He added that no information as to where the youth was being taken would be available until about 5 o'clock this afternoon.

### Freed by Abductors



NICHOLAS DEL CASTANO-Padilla, above, wealthy 67-year-old Havana, Cuba, lumberman and banker, is pictured following his rescue from abductors. He was held for more than a week. A ransom of \$300,000 was asked. Three men arrested for the abduction were

### ARM BROKEN THIRD TIME

ASHVILLE, Dec. 21.—Mrs. Mary Young, Long-st., is recovering from a fractured right arm suffered while visiting at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Harold Odaffer, Cromley-st.

The fracture is the third suffered on the same arm by Mrs. Young.

### FRIECE ELECTED TO HEAD COUNTY TOWNSEND CLUB

About 50 Attend Organization  
Meeting; Wright Hints  
He May Run

Sub-freezing temperatures, biting winds and slippery sidewalks were forgotten in dreams of a state of Eutopia by a group of aged persons who attended a meeting in the common pleas courtroom Friday night for the organization of a local Townsend club. The plan was outlined by Thomas S. Wright, Lancaster Democrat and former Fairfield-co farmer, who may be a contender for the seat now held by Mell G. Underwood. Following his address E. C. Fricce, E. Main-st., was chosen president of the local club, and T. D. Howell, secretary and treasurer.

### Financial Paralysis

"At present we have a severe stroke of financial paralysis," Mr.



E. C. Fricce

Wright stated. "Money is the life blood of commerce and it must circulate or commerce dies. Our money is not circulating through enough hands."

"I believe if it hadn't been for the relief activities we would have had a civil war. Our country has too much food, clothing and too many homes, and still we have people suffering."

"There are approximately 10, 300,000 persons in this country over 60 years of age and in this number about 7,500,000 would leave their employment if the Townsend plan was created. Their positions would be open to younger persons. The plan would give those over 60, who are eligible, the job of spending \$200 monthly."

### Uses Illustrations

Mr. Wright used a blackboard to show the vast amount of money that would be reaped from the stock exchanges in the transaction tax.

He explained in the operation of the plan those receiving the pension are not permitted to harbor persons who are able to work and do not seek employment.

Following his address he held an open discussion on the plan. When asked if he planned to seek the office now held by Mell G. Underwood, Mr. Wright said, "I do not choose to run but I may be chosen."

John W. Hannah, Zanesville, representative of Alfred J. Wright, eastern Ohio area manager, attended the meeting. About fifty persons were present at the organization session.

### EMASCULATES BROTHER

HUNTSVILLE, Tex., Dec. 21.—(INS)—Driven mad by his religious beliefs, which included a fanatical belief in chastity, Clyde Cooper 31, was in the custody of Sheriff Tom King today, after emasculating his brother, Bob, 35, while the latter's screaming wife looked on. The victim, a laborer in a sawmill here, was in a hospital today where physicians said he would survive his horrible experience.

### MERCURY FALLS TO ONE DEGREE IN EARLY MORN

Government Predictors See  
Rise in Temperature Dur-  
ing Week-End

### SUB-ZERO IS REPORTED

Drop Brings Increase in Fur  
and Winter Clothing Busi-  
nesses in City

Relief from the severe tem-  
perature, which has held Circleville  
Fickaway-co in its grasp for two  
days, was predicted today.

Government weather forecasters declared the temperature would rise steadily over the week-end and that relief is certain. Snow was also forecast.

Dr. H. R. Clarke's thermometer registered snow above zero Saturday morning, far the coldest of the season. High mark reached Friday 24 degrees. Many thermometers dropped below zero this morning. Many locations in Ohio sub-zero readings. Minimum thermometer temperature was three degrees below zero; that is, minus three degrees below zero. Green, zero; Cincinnati, above; Cleveland, above; Columbus, two above.

Fuel men, gas, coal and oil were pleased with the weather, and so were makers of city's stores, which reported heavy clothing, coats, sweaters, hats, socks, gloves, were being sold in large quantities.

No serious accidents as a result of slippery roads were reported. Highway department men did a good job of clearing roads in Circleville and Pickaway-co.

### ROPER TO RETIRE AFTER 33 YEARS IN GAS BUSINESS

E. S. Roper, employee of the Ohio Fuel Gas Co., and a resident of this city for the last 26 years, will be retired from active service Jan. 1. He will have completed 33 years of service with the Gas company and its predecessors.

Mr. Roper became affiliated with the old Logan Gas Co. under Messrs. Luper, Whitcomb and Barnesdale, and has seen three mergers effected during his service. He came to the Circleville office in 1910 from Tiffin.

In the course of his duties in the local office he has become acquainted with every patron of the Gas company in this community, and through his active participation in civic affairs and in church work he has developed many friends.

Mr. Roper expects to remain in Circleville.

### REPLEVIN SUIT FILED

An action in replevin for the recovery of a truck and \$200 damages was filed in common pleas court Friday by the Circleville Savings & Banking Co., against Jack Taylor, doing business as the Taylor Motor Sales.

### The Weather

Local	National	Forecast
High Friday, 24. Low Saturday, 1.	High Friday, Los Angeles, 72. Low Saturday, Duluth, Minn., -19.	Generally fair not so cold in central portion; Sunday somewhat warmer.
Temperatures Elsewhere		
Boston, Mass. ....	High	
Chicago, Ill. ....		
Denver, Colo. ....		
Los Angeles, Calif. ....		
New York, N. Y. ....		
San Antonio, Tex. ....		
Seattle, Wash. ....		

2 shopping days until Christmas



## GRANTED

JUTILA IN  
MAN'S DEATH

## Ex-Mate, Maid of Thelma Todd

Warren Athlete to  
Live for "Passion"  
Murder of Friend

WARREN, Dec. 21.—(INS)—A jury, composed of six married men and six married women, recommended mercy for the youth, who was a popular athlete. The verdict was reached last night after nearly two hours of deliberation.

The jury, made mandatory by the state's verdict convicting the youth of first-degree murder, will be pronounced by Judge B. McVicker.

The jury, composed of six married men and six married women, recommended mercy for the youth, who was a popular athlete. The verdict was reached last night after nearly two hours of deliberation.

Smiles at Verdict  
Jutla's face, pasty white, broke into a broad smile as the verdict was read.

The guilty verdict was the result of a sensational trial that began on Dec. 9, and came to a halt after four days of testimony by Jutla's attempt to end the trial with a spoon sharpened on the floor of his cell.

Although he lost much blood, recovered sufficiently to resume the trial. He returned to the courtroom and unfolded details of the killing of Marie Tobin, 21-year-old wife of James Tobin, his friend.

The prosecution based its case for a death sentence on the fact that the killing of Mrs. Tobin was the action of a man with a murder in his heart.

Result of Passion  
Jutla, however, sought to convince the jury of the details of the killing came about as a result of passion, when his wife was inflamed by liquor. He said that he was the victim of a "mad" age, in which easy credit is used by cheap whiskey.

The trial, most sensational in the history of the state, was held in Trumbull court in years, attracted a crowd of spectators daily.

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Vera Stretz In Refusal  
To Tell Why She Killed

Turning of Tide Against Women Slayers Forbodes Guilty  
Verdict for Her in Death of Dr. Fritz Gephhardt

NEW YORK—Cool, calm and collected, her blonde beauty unruffled by the tragedy which overwhelmed her life when she shot and killed the wealthy Dr. Fritz Gephhardt in a lovers' tryst, Vera Stretz today awaits trial for her self-confessed act in New York's new women's prison.

The fate of this youthful college graduate, who took the law into her own hands and killed the only explanation has been, "any decent person would have done the same thing," has interested not only the metropolis but the whole nation.

"What is going to happen to Vera Stretz?" is the question heard on all sides—in front of the chrome-nickel bars where among mirrored surroundings the debutantes and the chic women of the metropolis talk over cocktails to escorts of tailored elegance, in the drab approximations of the old-fashioned saloons where only men foregather, behind the counters of the shops, on the bus-tops and in the subways.

Has Brilliant Lawyer  
She has one of the most successful, original lawyers of the east, representing her, Samuel Leibowitz, who capped his New York reputation for "Not Guilty" verdicts by successfully protesting the conviction of the Scottsboro negroes right up to the Supreme Court.

But recent events have made many wonder whether the tide is not running against women defendants in murder cases.

In Wise, Virginia, 21-year-old Edith Maxwell is beginning to serve a 25-year sentence for the killing of her father by striking him with a high-heeled shoe in spite of testimony that she was defending herself from his drunken rage.

What will happen in New York, people are asking. How will Leibowitz be able to extricate his fair client from this self-admitted slaying?

Beekman Tower is a tall, octagonal shaft overlooking East River in midtown Manhattan, near exclusive Sutton place, the home of Mrs. W. K. Vanderbilt, and Anne Morgan.

It had been called the Panhellenic Club and until recently, was the home of college women, members of sororities. Recently it changed ownership and the rooms were rented to men also.

Little Known Man  
One of the new tenants was a Dr. Fritz Gephhardt. All that the management of the hotel knew about him was that he was engaged in business downtown and was evidently wealthy. He had rooms on the 21st floor.

Two floors below him in a one-room apartment lived a Miss Vera Stretz, who, it was known, was employed in his office.

Dr. Gephhardt returned from a trip to Germany on Friday, November 8.

About 2:35 o'clock on the following Tuesday morning the assistant manager of the hotel, who lived on an upper floor, heard shots. When the assistant manager arrived at the 21st floor in his investigation he noticed a young woman, fully dressed, sitting on a settee near the elevator, but he hurried past her without paying much attention.

For in an open doorway before him lay the body of Dr. Gephhardt, clad in an old-fashioned nightgown. He had been shot four times, three times in the chest, and once in the left arm.

The assistant manager hurried back to the elevator but the young woman had disappeared. She evidently had gone down the stairs.

Just then the police arrived and began searching. Eighteen floors below, on a stair landing, they found Vera Stretz huddled in a sitting posture on the floor. She was clutching a chinchilla-trimmed gray coat about her and holding a small, chic handbag.

In the little handbag they discovered a .32 calibre revolver with four shells exploded, a box containing 46 cartridges, a silk nightgown with bloodstains on the hem, and a key to Dr. Gephhardt's apartment.

Shooting Admitted  
"Did you shoot that man upstairs?" a policeman asked.

"Yes, I did," she said calmly, and later—"I was on my way to the station house to give myself up."

The investigation that followed disclosed many things but brought hardly another word from Vera Stretz except repetitions of "I have nothing to say."

Dr. Gephhardt had been a big industrialist in Germany. A member of Baron Richthofen's "Flying Circus" and a close associate of Hermann Wilhelm Goering when the latter succeeded in command of the squadron, Gephhardt seemed destined for a high place in German affairs.

After the war he had been near the top of two of Germany's largest industrial corporations. But when the Nazis did come into power, his "non-Aryan" wife, kept him from taking a high place in

the regime, despite his friendship with Goering.

He came to New York, leaving the wife behind, and engaged in the lucrative business of trading on commission in foreign exchange. Money came pouring in, but foreign debts were not paid, and he was forced to leave New York.

Police found that he had set up all the photographs of himself in his possession and made her will a day or two before the shooting which they held to be important evidence of premeditation.

They found that on the Sunday night before the death of Dr. Gephhardt had paid for separate rooms in a Broadway hotel for himself and another blonde young woman. Jealousy was the motive for the crime, they concluded.

They located the second young woman but failed to divulge that she had told them anything of importance to the case.

Vera was arraigned and pleaded not guilty, her composure amazing the reporters in the same way that it had affected the police.

This was the first thing that Leibowitz, her lawyer, sought to overcome. The remainder of his defense strategy, whether it will be self-defense or some other plea is still undisclosed.

He arranged to have Vera give a mass interview to reporters.

It was then that she said "any decent person would have done the same thing."

She also sought to puncture the impression of cool self-possession. "I didn't know I was composed," she said, referring to her arraignment. "I have been given sedatives right along."

SCHOOLS OPENS DEC. 30  
Since no new cases of scarlet fever have been reported in the Amanda district this week, plans are being made to reopen the schools Monday, Dec. 30.

The schools have been closed for the last ten days as a preventive measure.

MUST ATTACH STAMPS.  
STEUBENVILLE, O.—Merchants throughout this district have been warned by the Tax commission, that cancelled prepaid sales tax receipts must be attached to invoices and bills for merchandise purchased by consumers, where the transaction is completed by correspondence or telephone.

The commission, is issuing the warning, said complaints had been received by the department and explained there was no way for either the consumer or the tax commission to know that the sales tax receipts have been cancelled, unless they are attached to invoices or receipts.

CHRISTMAS 1935  
A Christmas Seal has been issued by the United States Post Office for the year 1935.

Protect Your Home from Tuberculosis  
BUY CHRISTMAS SEALS  
Makes Possible the Sanatorium and Rest House

I am going to ask you to take a second look at the Christmas seal that comes to you this year.

In fact, the Christmas Seal has had a part, we may say a major part, in making possible the building of sanatoria which today are able to care for 86,917 cases. Since the first seal sale the death rate has dropped to one-fourth of what it was. The Christmas Seal has also had a major part in relieving the unthinking fear of tuberculosis which for years stood in the way of building sanatoria in towns and neighborhoods where stricken. A sanatorium was, residents objected to their congregate as a pest house, but now people know it as a rest house.

Again, the Christmas Seal has been primarily instrumental in spreading the knowledge that tuberculosis is preventable and curable, and that one of the best ways to prevent and cure it is through sanatorium treatment.

Now of course it is apparent that people can rest at home, and then the question arises, if there is no medicine that can help the disease, why should expensive institutions be maintained, and people be separated from their families to get sanatorium care? The fact is that what people can do, if they would do, they often don't do.

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ORIGIN OF THE CHRISTMAS TREE  
(Editorial)

People of today never stop to think about the origin of the Christmas tree or just how it happened to have it. After all, what would Christmas be without a tree, its bright lights and colored ornaments?

There are many different stories concerning this. One of them describes Martin Luther as attempting to explain to his wife and children the beauty of a snow-covered forest under the glittering star of the Christmas tree.

"It has been explained," says another authority, "as being derived from the ancient Egyptian practice of decking houses at the time of the winter solstice with branches of the date palm; the symbol of life triumphant over death, and therefore of perennial life in the renewal of each bounteous year." The Egyptians regarded the date palm as the emblem not only of immortality, but also of the starlit firmament.

Some of its traditions may have been strongly influenced by the fact that about this time the Jews celebrated their Feast of Chanukah of Lights, known also as the Feast of Dedication, of which lighted candles are a feature. In Germany, the name for Christmas Eve is Weihnachts, the Night of Dedication, while in Greece at about this season the celebration is called the Feast of Lights.

—MARY ANN SAPP  
—MERRY CHRISTMAS—

## student opinion

Student Opinion: How do you think the "Red and Black" could be improved?

MEDRITH BACH: Freshman: The "Red and Black" is very interesting as it is, but I think it should have a little more comedy. A short comic strip of an interesting event would help.

The paper tells the things which have happened in school and are of interest to all people as well as parents. This is what the people want to know and it tells about what is happening in our schools.

MORTON REICHELDERFER: Senior: In my opinion the high school paper could be improved by more personal stories, and also the resuming of the bit called, "Who's Who."

JUNIOR SWEYER: Senior: The way in which I think the "Red and Black" could be improved is to have more humor. The school paper seems too dry and it needs some humor to pep it up.

KATHLEEN GREENE: Junior: I think the "Red and Black" could be improved by having more personal things written about the students.

Feature stories would also add to the interest of the pupils.

HARRIET BEERY: Sophomore: I don't think the "Red and Black" could be improved much, except to have a few jokes added once in a while. I think it is a very excellent paper it tells of the various activities going on in the high school. It is all right just as it is.

Queen of Co-eds

I saw a star, gleaming, gleaming, High in the sky of night— It shone afar, flickering, beckoning, With unearthly radiance bright.

I saw an Inn, lowly, Holy, Where Christ, the Babe Was Born— To atone for sin, suffering, sorrowing, On far off Calvary's Morn.

I heard a song, joyous, glorious, Ring out the joyful lay— And all night long tenderly, reverently, I knelt to watch and pray.

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THANKS TO THEATRE  
The cast and technical staff of "The Tinker" wish to thank the Clifton Theatre for advertising their play.

They also wish to thank all persons who helped in any way to present this play.

—MERRY CHRISTMAS—

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There will be no Red and Black during Christmas vacation.

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RICHARD HARMAN WINS  
IN CONTEST OF POEMS

The second poetry contest sponsored by the Red and Black was brought to a close last Tuesday with Richard Harmon as the author of the first and second prize poems.

Alice Griner was the winner of the third prize poem, "Christmas Eve."

All first prize poems will appear in the annual this year. Evelyn Ward was first prize winner in the first contest concerning Thanksgiving and Autumn. All students having their poems printed in the annual will receive a "Circle" free.

Miss Hitler, Mr. Jewett and Miss Mattinson were judges in this contest.

Poems for the next contest will be written about Easter or any subject pertaining to spring.

BENCH  
I sat on a bench In the park And the snow fell, And all was still, That Christmas Eve When I sat and thought,

I became a better Man, Because, I sat on a bench In the park And the snow fell, And all was still, That Christmas Eve When I sat and thought.

THOUGHTS ON GOD  
I sometimes Wish that I could be God And then I could Know why men Fight men, Kill men, And then On the Eve of His Birth, Swear that They love Him, With all They possess.

CHRISTMAS EVE  
Snow falling, Strangely quiet, white and soft, Fairy-like it seems, Gath'ring high in drifts.

Bells ringing, Joyfully wild, clear and loud, Laughter makes reply Rushing through the air.

Stars shining, Gleaming brightly, gold and white, Symbols of great faith Lending promise new.

Peace ling'ring, Heavenly silent, calm, serene, Good will toward men, O'er all the earth.

This poem, although being entered too late for judging, was given much praise by the judges and for this reason the Red and Black is printing it this week.

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HIGH SCHOOL PROGRAM  
FOR WOSU ANNOUNCED

A group of Circleville High School students are presenting a program over radio station W. O. S. U. Tuesday afternoon at 1:15 p. m. as a part of the Ohio High School contest. The best program to the opinion of the judges will be given a "Silver Cup." The following program will be heard.

Theme Song—Red and Black.  
Piano Solo—Fight the Team, Dick Plum.

The history of Circleville—George Rader.  
"East of the Sun," "Treasure Island"—Accordian solos by Hilare Haacker.

A vocal ensemble presenting "Hark the Herald Angels Sing" and "Silent Night"—Harriet Beery, Louise Helwagen, Montford Kirkwood, Dick Plum, Donald Scott, Dorothy Walters.

"You Are My Lucky Star," "Jingle Bells"—Piano solos by Dick Plum.

"Blue Danube," "The Winter Waltz"—Accordian solos by Hilare Haacker.

"The First Noel," "O Little Town of Bethlehem," "O Come All Ye Faithful"—Vocal Ensembles.

Interesting Facts C. H. S.—George Rader.  
Theme Song—Red and Black.

—MERRY CHRISTMAS—

SENIORS' INVITATIONS  
ARE CHOSEN BY CLASS  
A single fold Graduation Invitation was selected by the Senior class at a meeting Monday afternoon.

The local dealer from whom the invitations are to be purchased is T. K. Brunner and Son. He is representing the Herr-Jones Company from Indianapolis.

Personal cards may be purchased from any firm. It is not necessary to buy cards through the dealer who received the order for the invitations.

—MERRY CHRISTMAS—

HISTORY CLASSES  
SEMESTER PROJECTS  
The Sophomore history classes have begun their semester projects to be handed in upon Christmas vacation.

Some students are making their projects while others are writing upon subjects pertaining to history.

For the past several years the same assignment has been made and has proved very interesting.

Mr. Bowen is the instructor of the Sophomore history class.

—MERRY CHRISTMAS—

INFORMATION BLANKS  
NECESSARY TO GRADS  
Seniors at Circleville High School this year will be requested to fill out college information blanks furnished by the Ohio College association.

These blanks will be sent to any Ohio college requesting them. In this way any student seeking admission to a college will only be required to fill out this one form.

Every senior in the High School will be required to fill out a blank thus stimulating interest among the pupils for college careers.

This plan will enable the colleges to obtain accurate and uniform information concerning all high school students.

—MERRY CHRISTMAS—

GOOD IS "MARSHAL"  
Due to his ability in ringing fire bells, Bob (Estella) Good has been appointed deputy fire marshal by Mr. Reger.

Good was getting a gong ready Tuesday afternoon for an amateur program. The program was to go on in two minutes and the bell wasn't ready. Miss Priest who was about at her "last string" told Robert that if he didn't get the bell fixed in two minutes he wouldn't get to ring it.

At this Good started putting on some of his greased-lightning speed (which is always prevalent with him) and was determined to have it ready on time.

"Bang"—Fire! Fire! cried everybody, and the students started rushing madly out of the building. Everybody was within safe distance from the building when Bob walked slowly out the front door. "Get away from the building," they shouted to him; Bob's reply was "That wasn't no fire bell, I just dropped a bell over on the stage."

—MERRY CHRISTMAS—



# ALL CHURCHES OF CITY PLAN CHRISTMAS PROGRAM

## Holy Rites Are Sunday In Several

Other Congregations Waiting Until Tuesday Night and Wednesday

Splendid programs will be provided Circleville church-goers Sunday and until Christmas with all congregations planning much activity. Special cantatas, candle-light services, pageants, and song services all have their parts. The following plans were announced by the local pastors today:

A candle light pageant "Angels of Christmas" given by a cast of 16 persons at 7:30 p. m. Sunday will feature the Christmas service of the Methodist Episcopal church. The choir will assist by singing a number of hymns. Mrs. J. F. Moffitt directs the work and Hunter Chambers is the organist.

Persons having part in the pageant are Mary Rader, Mrs. DeWitt, Eleanor Radloff, Ann Denman, Mrs. G. D. Phillips, Mrs. E. R. Austin, Mrs. J. W. Henry, Helen Sayre, Maryene Howard, Fred Grant, Helen Yates, Katherine Kirkpatrick, Mrs. Erwin Leist, Marjorie Brown, Mrs. Carl Bennett, and Betty Brown.

Exercises for the church school will be a combined service at 10:15 a. m. Sunday. The choir will sing "Hark the Herald Angels Sing" by Woodward and "Rejoice Greatly" by Adams. Mrs. Moffitt will sing "Glorious to God in the Highest" by Barker. Children of the junior and primary departments of the church school will participate in the service under the direction of Miss Charlotte Phelps, Mrs. Harold Grant, and their helpers.

"The Christmas Story" will be shown in colored stereopticon pictures in the junior department during the church school.

The Presbyterian choir directed by Carlisle Moffitt will present a Christmas song service at 4 p. m. Sunday. The beautiful cantata "The Christ Child" by Hawley will be sung. For the cantata, the choir will be assisted by Mrs. Cliff Miller, Mrs. Carlisle Moffitt, and Herbert Eagleson, former director of the choir.

Miss Abbe Mills Clarke accompanies the singers and will play as the prelude, "Christmas Prelude" by Yon and a postlude by Barker.

St. Philip's Episcopal church

will observe Christmas with its annual midnight service Tuesday at 11:30 p. m. The choir will sing two anthems, "Hark the Herald Angels Sing" by Reade and the offertory anthem, "And There Were Shepherds" by Joseph Fletcher. The program as announced by the Rev. L. C. Sherburne, rector, includes: processional hymn 19; anthem; Communion service by Caleb Simper; hymn 78; sermon; offertory anthem; Communion hymn 338; and recessional hymn, 72.

The senior choir of Trinity Lutheran church will present the cantata "The First Christmas", Sunday at 7 p. m.

Other Christmas services of the church will be at morning worship, Sunday, with the sermon to be: "A Most Wonderful Message"; Christmas service, Christ church and Ringgold, 7:30; Christmas morning service at 9 o'clock; Wednesday evening service at 7 o'clock.

The theme for the Christmas morning service will be "The Promised Messiah".

A Christmas Play, "The Promised One" will be given at Calvary Evangelical Church, Sunday, at 7 o'clock. The characters are: Noah, Abraham, Isaac, Jacob, Moses, David, Isaiah, Hosea, Joel, Amos, Micah, Ezekiel, Zechariah, Daniel and Malachi, four shepherds, a group of angels and singers. Those taking part are C. O. Leist, C. A. Bolender, H. B. Denman, C. J. Martin, Mark Delong, Pearl Delong, I. S. Reid, Harold Sharpe, Edward Bost, Robert Dean, Carl Martin, Ross Carothers, Arthur Kibler, John Kuhn, Ralph Roby, Richard Conrad, Earl Millions, Robert Anderson, Russell Lape, Mae Hudnell, Fernie Kelley, Marjorie Kuhn, Irma Kuhn, Louise Dewey, Annabel Merriman, Charlotte Cook, Margaret Davis, Bernice Strawser, and the choir.

A Christmas program entitled "We Bring Thee Peace" will be presented in the Church of the Brethren on Sunday, Dec. 29, according to an announcement from Rev. Charles Essick, pastor.

A Christmas party for the Sunday school department of St. Philip's Episcopal church will be held Monday at 6:45 p. m.

Midnight services and Holy Communion will be held on Christmas eve, starting at 11:30 o'clock.

A program of songs and recitations by the primary and junior departments of the First United Brethren church will be presented Sunday at 7:30 p. m. Christmas music will be featured by the choir at the morning service. Anthems to be sung are: "Holly Night Divine" by Carrie B. Adams; "Peace on Earth" by Lorenz.

No midweek services will be held.

## Church Briefs

Meetings at Trinity Lutheran church during the week include: Sunday, senior choir practice, 2 p. m.; Monday, junior choir practice, 7 p. m.; Monday, Christmas practice, Ringgold, 8:15; Thursday, primary Christmas party, parish house, 2 p. m.; Thursday, junior choir practice, 7 p. m.; Friday, teachers' meeting, 7; Friday, senior choir practice, 7:30; Saturday, catechetical class, 10; Sunday evening, communion service, 7.

The Epworth league meeting of the Methodist church will be omitted Sunday and so will the mid-week service on Wednesday. The White Gift offering for the Methodist homes may be given at any service during Sunday, the Rev. Herman Sayre announced.

The Young Ladies' Bible Class of the Methodist church is to take contributions Sunday morning for the Christmas baskets.

Monday at 7:15 p. m. the Christmas program of the Presbyterian church Bible class will be enjoyed.

The Sunday morning service at the Presbyterian church includes: sermon, "The Christmas Attitude"; prelude, "Hallelujah Chorus"; anthem, "A Morn of Beauty"; offertory, "Jesu Bambino"; postlude, "Adeste Fideles".

A series of evangelistic meetings will be held in the Church of Christ, First National bank building, opening Dec. 29 and continuing until Jan. 26. The Rev. and Mrs. G. T. Bateman will be in charge of the services.

The Sunday School of Calvary Evangelical church will present a Christmas pageant Sunday at 7 p. m.

Prayer meeting services will be held in the church Wednesday at 7:30 p. m.

Rev. Charles A. Gilson, district superintendent of the Church of the Nazarene, will preach at the services in the local church Sunday.

The regular monthly meeting of

## The Christmas Lesson



Before the birth of Jesus an angel appeared to Mary, his mother, telling her of God's plan for her and her child. An angel also prepared Joseph to understand the manner of the child's birth, saying, "Thou shalt call his name Jesus."

## ILLUSTRATED SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

Scripture—Matt. 2:1-12.



Shortly after Jesus' birth there came wise men from the east to Jerusalem seeking the new-born King of the Jews. The wicked King Herod was greatly troubled at what they told of a star guiding them to find a new king.



The wise men were told to seek for the new king in Bethlehem. Here they found him and worshiped him, "presenting to him gifts of gold, frankincense, and myrrh." (GOLDEN TEXT—Matt. 1:21)

## IN CIRCLEVILLE CHURCHES SUNDAY

**Church of the Brethren**  
Charles Essick, pastor. Sunday school, 9:30 a. m. Austin Davis, superintendent. Morning worship, 10:45. Evening service, 7:30.

**Church of the Nazarene**  
A. E. Pusy, pastor. Sunday school, 9:30 a. m. Morning worship, 10:45. N.Y.P.S. meeting, 6:30 p. m. Evangelistic service, 7:30 p. m.

**Church of Christ**  
R. Tibbs Maxey, minister. Devotionals, 10 a. m. Christmas program, 5:30 p. m.

**St. Philip's Episcopal**  
Rev. L. C. Sherburne, rector. Church school, 9 a. m. Morning prayer and sermon, 10:15 a. m.

**Calvary Evangelical**  
E. Radebaugh, pastor. Sunday school, 9:30 a. m. Christmas program, 5:30 p. m.

the Missionary society will be held Thursday at 7:30 p. m.

school, 9 a. m. C. O. Leist, superintendent. Morning worship, 10:15 a. m. Junior E.L.C.E., 10:15 a. m. E.L.C.E., 6:30 p. m. Pageant, 7 p. m.

**First Methodist Episcopal**  
Herman A. Sayre, pastor. Church school, 9 a. m. Clarence R. Barnhart, superintendent. Morning worship, 10:15.

**St. Paul A. M. E.**  
Mary Lou Henderson, pastor. Sunday school, 10 a. m. Mrs. Beulah Thomas, superintendent. Morning worship, 11 a. m. Evening worship, 7:45.

**First United Brethren**  
T. C. Harper, pastor. Sunday school, 9:15 a. m. J. R. Kirkpatrick, superintendent. Morning worship, 10:30 Sunday school program, 7:30 p. m.

**Second Baptist**  
B. R. Reed, pastor. Sunday school, 9:30 a. m. Preaching 11 a. m. N.Y.P.S. 6:30 p. m. Preaching, 7:30 p. m.

**First Presbyterian**  
Emil S. Toensmeier, minister. Bible school, 9:15 a. m. Mrs. Blanche Motchnian, superintendent. Morning worship, 10:15.

**St. Joseph's**  
Rev. Fr. J. J. Herman, pastor. Sunday Masses, 8 and 10 a. m. week day Mass, 7:30 a. m.

**TRINITY LUTHERAN**  
Dr. G. J. Troutman and Rev. G. L. Troutman, pastors; service every Sunday at 10:15 a. m. and 7 p. m.; Sunday school, 9 a. m. Bible study, Friday at 7 p. m.

**FIRST METHODIST**  
Sunday school, 9 a. m.; morning worship and Christmas exercises, 10:15 a. m.; candle light pageant, Sunday, 7:30 p. m.

Some people don't let their left hand know what their right hand is doing because they are ashamed to.

A sinner may be frightened into hypocrisy, but he must be wooed to repentance and faith.

You can't build up the weak by pulling down the strong.

Jesus is not only a very present help in trouble but a help in preventing trouble.

## ASHVILLE

Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Hott are spending several days this week at Detroit, Michigan, where Mr. Hott is attending a Florists' convention.

Mrs. Sadie Bell spent several days of the past week with Mr. Carus Brown and family of Fairview.

Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo East and daughter, Patsy of Washington C. H., were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Boyer and family.

Miss Ethel Swope of New York City was a Thursday guest of her aunt, Miss Mina Kraft.

Mr. and Mrs. William Ingham have removed from Darbyville to Ashville, occupying the Harry Abbott property on Jefferson-ave.

Dr. L. C. Schiff and family moved into their new home on E. Main-st. this week.

Mrs. O. W. Willis will entertain the local W. C. T. U. at her home on Cromley-st. Friday, Dec. 27 at 2 o'clock p. m.

Mr. and Mrs. Karl Hutchison of Columbus, entertained his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Hutchison of Walnut-twp. Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Kuhlwein of Harrison-twp celebrated their 48th wedding anniversary at their home Sunday, and entertained the following relatives to dinner: Mr. and Mrs. Paul Kuhlwein, Columbus; Mrs. J. R. Duvall and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Kuhlwein.

Mr. and Mrs. Gale Calvert and family visited with Mr. and Mrs. Ray Johnson at Circleville, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Hott were in Detroit, Mich., attending a Florist convention a part of the week.

James Hickman, who has been in Virginia for the past several months has returned to Ashville.

Harry Sark and wife now occupy the Isaac Bell property on Scioto-st. Mr. Sark, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Sark of Walnut-twp is a railway mail clerk.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Grove of W. Main-st. have as their guest this week, Mrs. Mattie Finley of Pickerington.

AAA officials estimate that as of September 30 a total of \$126,281,273 in processing taxes is due from processors but unpaid as a result of court action. If this was paid, a processing tax surplus of \$14,701,379 would exist.

## Malachi Foretells a New Day

"BRASS TACKS" ON THE SUNDAY LESSON

(The International Uniform Lesson for Dec. 22 offers the choice of two lessons, either Malachi 1:1 to 4:6 with the Golden Text, Mal. 3:1, "Behold, I send my messenger and he shall prepare the way before me"; or the Christmas story in Matt. 2:1-12 with the Golden Text, Matt. 1:21, "Thou shalt call his name Jesus; for it is he that shall save his people from their sins." We give here a treatment of the less familiar of these lessons from the chapter on Malachi in "The Gist of the Bible Book by Book," published by Dr. Alvin E. Bell, Toledo, O.)

**By DR. ALVIN E. BELL**  
The books of Malachi and Nehemiah should be read together, for they form respectively the last pages of Old Testament prophecy and history, born of the same social and religious corruptions and at almost the same time. Malachi ministered about 400 years before Christ, and but a few years after the close of Nehemiah's ministry. Both dealt with the priests' defilement of their office, the people's defilement of the home through mixed marriages with idolaters, and the general contempt for and neglect of the offerings and services of God's house.

**The Seven "Whereins"**  
The key which unlocks the message of Malachi is the word "wherein," which is found in the book seven times in as many impudent and arrogant replies of the people in which they deny the prophet's charges against them: "Wherein hast thou loved us?" 1:2; "Wherein have we despised thy name?" 1:6; "Wherein have we polluted thee?" 1:7; "Wherein have we wearied him?" 2:17; "Wherein shall we return?" 3:7; "Wherein have we robbed thee?" 3:8; and (in the revised version) "Wherein have we spoken against thee?" 3:13. Thus the people entered a general denial to all the prophet's charges of religious, moral and social corruption. In their self-

Only to trust and do our best, and wear as smiling a face as may be for others and ourselves—Robert Louis Stevenson.

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Matt. 1:21—"Thou shalt call his name Jesus; for it is he that shall save his people from their sins."

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## TIME TO WATCH HABITS

MORE important than the convention-  
al New Year's resolution a good  
many persons will make is the determi-  
nation to watch one's habits over the hol-  
iday. Christmas and the days that follow  
are for many a convivial period. That fact  
carries with it no justification for im-  
periling the safety, even lives, of others.

Drunken or even slightly tipsy persons  
have no right to guide automobiles along  
the highways. Not only is there an obliga-  
tion on the individual not to do this, but  
also good citizens in company of such  
persons owe it to themselves and the pub-  
lic welfare to dissuade friends who are  
under the influence of liquor from driving  
cars.

Many a man has said: "I never drive bet-  
ter than when I have five or six drinks  
in me." He means he never felt more  
abandon. He may not yet have figured in  
a serious accident. Always, however, there  
is a first time.

Some intelligence tests are silly and  
others make you seem pretty smart.  
All college professors are Liberals,  
which is another way of saying they  
aren't paid much.

An executive is a person who thinks he  
is busy because he takes all day to make  
up his mind.

A successful man is one who did his  
note endorsing young, when he didn't  
have much to lose.

Congress expects to have a short ses-  
sion. Yes, but with the bonus and Dr.  
Townsend it probably will be a short life  
but a merry one.

Those who have been wondering how  
much the little taxpayer will stand be-  
fore he screams may soon have their  
answer. A device capable of imposing a  
pressure of one million pounds per square  
inch has been perfected by Harvard sci-  
entists.

When daughter begins to "make her  
own money," the chief difference is the  
accumulation of hats.

It isn't debasing to be content with lit-  
tle unless you are content because you get  
it for nothing.

## WORLD AT A GLANCE

Governor Eugene Talmadge of  
Georgia, a recent visitor in Wash-  
ington, talking with the newspaper  
boys, gives a first rate impression  
at a casual meeting; it is impos-  
sible to say, from a half hour's  
chat, how well he would wear.  
One naturally compares him  
with the late Senator Huey P.  
Long, and he is somewhat of the  
Kingfish type, though he doesn't  
look like the Louisiana solon in  
the least. He is not as volcanic as  
Senator Long, either. He is  
forceful, but more restrained than  
the senator was. When he makes  
a strong statement it sounds  
strong rather because of what he  
says than because of any particu-  
lar vehemence in his manner of  
saying it. The Kingfish, if a dia-  
mond, decidedly was in the rough.  
The governor has a certain amount  
of polish.

He said that he thinks he and  
the senator were aiming at ap-  
proximately the same objective,  
but he agreed that he could not in-  
dorse the latter's share-the-wealth  
philosophy.

## NOT A TOWNSENDITE

There is no comfort for the  
Townsendites in Governor Tal-  
madge's reasoning, either.

He was emphatic in his state-  
ment that he believes in pensions  
for no one except ex-soldiers. "No  
man," he argued, "who, maybe, has  
bummed around pool rooms until  
he is 60, is entitled to be put on a  
pension."

The nub of his platform, ex-  
posed the governor, is Jefferson-  
ian Democracy, which, he was

positive in asserting, is the an-  
tithesis of the New Deal.

A third party?  
The governor doesn't want one.  
What he wants, he made it clear,  
is to "reclaim" the Democratic  
party. He wants to beat President  
Roosevelt for renomination. Ob-  
viously he hates to face the con-  
tingency that the White House  
tenant will be renominated, rais-  
ing the issue in his own mind.  
Should the so-called Democratic  
candidate be fought for re-elec-  
tion?

## BOTH PARTIES SPLIT

The situation is exceedingly  
jumbled.

There are the administration  
Democrats. There are the dissent-  
ing Democrats. There are the  
Republicans. There are the Town-  
sendites—unless the dissenting  
Democrats or the Republicans an-  
nex them. Governor Talmadge's  
declaration seems to foreclose the  
chance that the dissenting Dem-  
ocrats will do so. That the Repub-  
licans will make friends with them  
is more than unlikely.

For that matter, the dissenting  
Democrats are split too; Governor  
Talmadge, as a dissenter, is noth-  
ing like such a dissenter as John  
W. Davis, who ran for president  
on the Democratic ticket in 1924.

The Republicans, also, are split.  
Senator William E. Borah and  
Representative James W. Wad-  
sworth, both of whom are men-  
tioned as G. O. P. presidential pos-  
sibilities, are as far apart as the  
poles in their political principles.

This isn't to say that there will

be seven or eight major national  
conventions.

It does mean that there prob-  
ably will be an infinity of con-  
clusion of the voting—an election  
to be decided in the house of  
representatives, possibly.

## HIS APPEARANCE

Governor Talmadge is a smallish,  
quick-moving citizen, compactly  
built and active.

He is a brunet. His hair, very  
black, falls in a bang over his  
forehead. His snapping black eyes  
peer out from tortoise-shell  
glasses. His chin juts and he closes  
his mouth with steel-trap resolu-  
tion.

But he has an amiable southern  
accent, which doesn't go consist-  
ently with his expressions in favor  
of the chain gang and the whip-  
ping post.

## GOVERNOR'S VIEW

The Georgia delegation in con-  
gress was all pro-New Deal at its  
last session.  
"Yeah," says the governor, "but  
it hadn't been home then. It had  
not had recent contact with the  
'home folks.'"

Governor Talmadge, to be sure,  
was snubbed at the last pro-  
Roosevelt love feast in his home  
metropolis of Atlanta. Though in-  
vited, he was given a "back seat"  
and he did not attend; he had busi-  
ness elsewhere.

"Well," says the governor, "I  
did not want to be a hypocrite. I  
did not want to smile and kowtow  
—and not mean any of it."

## Daily Washington Merry-Go-Round

By DREW PEARSON and ROBERT S. ALLEN

## POLITICIANS REGARD TOWNSEND PARTY PLAN AS STRATEGIC BLUFF

WASHINGTON—Among both Republi-  
can and Democratic leaders the Towns-  
end threat of a third party is considered  
bluff. The declaration is viewed as a stra-  
tegical maneuver to frighten the two old  
parties to come to terms on the old-age  
pension movement. . . . The big guessing  
game now current in official Washington  
is how much money the President will ask  
for next year's relief in his forthcoming  
budget. Speculation ranges from zero to a  
high of \$2,000,000,000. . . . Justice Louis  
D. Brandeis is a good advertisement for  
the dental profession. Although 79 years  
old he still has most of his own teeth. He  
has them examined and cleaned each  
month. . . . A. B. MacGregor, in charge of  
a Rural Resettlement nursery, was once a  
gardener for the King of England and  
J. P. Morgan. MacGregor was on the tran-  
sient relief rolls when he obtained his  
government job. . . . William Bray,  
youthful secretary to Postmaster General  
Jim Farley, is the only secretary to a high  
official in the Capital who knows by sight  
every member of Congress. Bray's knowl-  
edge is a great service to his boss as it  
insures the latter of never being caught  
at a loss for the name of a congressional  
raller. . . . Signs of the times: Shoe pro-  
duction this year is up 3.5 per cent over  
last. The output of low-priced part-leather  
and part-fabric shoes has more than  
doubled.

## WHITE HOUSE GIFTS

Christmas at the White House means an  
increased flow of gifts. From the time  
of George Washington, Presidents have  
been the year round recipients of every  
conceivable variety of gift. When Presi-  
dent Harding died he left a whole store-  
room of personal gifts. Several trucks  
were needed to carry away the gifts given  
Coolidge and Hoover during their incum-  
bency. . . . Caption over an appear for  
funds in The Democratic Digest — "A  
Penny A Day Keeps the Elephant Away"  
. . . . Massachusetts Congressmen have  
brought word to the Capital that ex-Gov-  
ernor Alvin T. Fuller, of Sacco-Vanzetti  
fame, is planning to seek another term on  
the Republican ticket next year. . . . Ac-  
cording to figures just compiled by the  
Labor Department workers have filed  
suits aggregating \$500,000,000 of workers'  
compensation laws in the U. S. . . . Rea-  
son for the American Liberty League's  
sudden announcement that it would file  
with Congress quarterly statements of in-  
come and expenditures was the tip that  
New Dealers were planning a congression-  
al probe of the organization's finances. By  
voluntarily opening its books, League mas-  
terminds hope they can forestall an in-  
vestigation. . . . Five states have already  
submitted plans to Surgeon General Cum-  
mings for obtaining grants from the \$8,-  
000,000 fund set up in the Social Security  
Act for health promotion. The States are,  
Utah, Arizona, California, Colorado and  
New Mexico.

## MURDER UPSTAIRS

By ADAM BLISS

## READ THIS FIRST:

Lieutenant Kirk Larabee is in-  
vestigating the murder of Andrew  
Darlen, a middle-aged bachelor who  
was stabbed to death with a carving  
knife as he slept in the boarding  
house of Alice Jennings. After ques-  
tioning Alice, her seven remaining  
boarders, the maid and cook in de-  
tail, Larabee learns that Darlen was  
generally disliked and that he pos-  
sessed a small fortune. Alice is  
amazed when the detective tells her  
she will inherit \$250,000 through  
Darlen's will. While Larabee and  
Alice are talking, they surprise  
Grace, the cook, listening at the door.  
Alice has to explain a list of anec-  
dotes she has compiled about every-  
one in the house to Larabee. They  
discuss all of the boarders again,  
including Lucy, Alice's old friend,  
who has been seeing a psychiatrist.  
Dr. Rudemar, Lucy's psychiatrist,  
surprises Alice with a visit at almost  
midnight. Dr. Rudemar, convinced  
that Lucy is abnormal, fears she  
may have committed the murder.  
(NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY)

## CHAPTER 24

WHEN YOU know a person as  
long as I have known Lucy, when  
that person is as close to you as a  
sister, and someone tells you she is  
crazy, that she has homicidal ten-  
dencies and ought to be in an asylum  
—well, you can judge my state of  
mind when Dr. Rudemar told me  
that.

He asked:  
"If this hadn't come up, no one  
would have known about Mrs. Up-  
ham's condition, except myself—un-  
til, of course, something happened.  
But now that this murder has oc-  
curred in your house, it's neces-  
sary for you to know. I'm sorry it's  
that way—and that I had to tell you."

He picked up his things and went  
to the door. I followed him, the  
bundle of knives in my hand.

"You'll watch her for me?" he  
asked, with one hand on the knob.

"—shall. But why don't you see  
her and ask for yourself whether she  
killed Andrew Darlen?"

"It would do no good to ask her  
Mrs. Penny for to get the truth  
from her in a hurry I should have  
to use hypnosis. Already, in a hypo-  
notic state, she has killed a guinea  
pig which she thought was Darlen.  
She'd tell me she killed him. Do  
you understand?"

I didn't, but I nodded, dumbly. I  
was glad when the front door closed  
after him. Upstairs, with my bundle,  
I proceeded wearily without asking  
Sergeant Burke to accompany me.  
Sergeant Rose met me on the second  
floor. Another policeman was on  
the third, someone I didn't know.

The light on the back stairs land-  
ing of that floor worked, by some  
whim. When I was in my room and  
had locked in the closet and under  
the bed and had locked my door, I  
put the bundle under my pillow, and  
got undressed, still thinking of what  
Dr. Rudemar had said about Lucy.  
The bundle was there in the morn-  
ing, but to make sure I counted the  
knives. Seven.

Miss Cambridge was the only one  
who left the house the next morn-  
ing. She went back to her history  
classes, with Lieutenant Larabee's  
permission, and a triumphant gleam  
in her eyes. Mr. Withers didn't even  
ask to go.

At 9:30 Miss Cambridge came back,  
her trimmer somewhat curbed, to  
tell us that Mr. Withers thought  
she'd better stay away until matters  
were cleared up and the curiosity of  
her pupils abated. I could have told  
her when she started out so defiantly  
that that's what her precious Mr.  
Gorham would say, but I didn't. You  
can't tell Miss Cambridge things like  
that. She wouldn't believe you.

"Mr. Gorham said my absence was  
unavoidable, and would be consid-  
ered illness," she told me as she  
trailed into the kitchen. "He was  
greatly disturbed by the tragedy, and  
wanted to know all about it. A fine  
man, Mr. Gorham. A brilliant man.  
He has a splendid theory about the  
murder that I must tell Lieutenant  
Larabee. You remember Mr. Ander-

son who used to have Mr. Talbot's  
room? Well, what was his theory?  
Mr. Anderson, from having an extra  
key made for the front door, waiting  
until he moved out, then returning  
Monday night to kill Mr. Darlen?  
Logical, isn't it?"

"But George Anderson left for  
California the day he moved out,  
Miss Cambridge," I explained, pa-  
tiently. "Why should he want to  
kill Mr. Darlen?"

"How do you know he left immedi-  
ately for California?" she de-  
manded.

"He told me so," I said. "He  
wasn't here when the baggage man  
came, and I checked his trunk to  
San Francisco on his ticket which he  
left with me. The ticket was a  
through one to San Francisco."

That settled George Anderson so  
far as I was concerned. I didn't  
think much of Mr. Gorham's theory.  
It was too far fetched. Why should  
nice Mr. Anderson, who had been  
with me a year when he went away,  
have an extra key made to the front  
door, come back at 8:30 Monday  
night, steal my carving knife, hide  
around the house until after mid-  
night, and then kill Mr. Darlen?

To my mind, Mr. Gorham's theory  
was no more plausible than Dr.  
Rudemar's. I hoped Marcella Can-  
bridge didn't see me shudder when  
I thought of the doctor. But she  
did. She asked what was the matter,  
and I told her I was cold.

"Nerves, Mrs. Penny," she said,  
decidedly. "I imagine you didn't  
sleep any too well."

I hadn't, what with the knives  
under my pillow, and thinking of  
Lucy and Dr. Rudemar.

"I slept better than I have for a  
long time," she continued. "I was  
asleep as soon as my head touched  
the pillow."

I managed to get away from her  
after that by pleading an urgent  
phone call I had to make. I simply  
didn't want to talk to her any more  
that morning. She was right about  
my nerves. I had a bad case of  
them, and a funny headache that  
centered in my left temple.

The inquest on Andrew Darlen  
was held that afternoon. Della and  
I were the only witnesses who went  
from the house, except Kirk Larabee.  
It was much easier than I had  
expected for inquests were a novel-  
ty to me and I didn't know what  
I might have to say. It lasted only  
half an hour and aside from Della  
going into half hysterics on the  
stand, it wasn't so bad.

The jury decided that Andrew

## Looking Back in Pickaway County

## FIVE YEARS AGO

A Columbus stockholder has  
filed suit in Franklin-co courts  
charging abandonment of the Sei-  
oto Valley Traction Co. was  
through collusion, and asked re-  
versal of the ruling.

Miss Mildred Alexander of  
Spring Valley and J. Austin  
Dowden of Wayne-twp are to  
marry Christmas day.

Miss Helen Bartholomew, coun-  
ty health nurse, has been named  
vice president of the newly-formed  
Nurses' division of Central  
Ohio Sanitariums.

## 10 YEARS AGO

The temperature dropped to 11  
degrees above zero.

Miss Evangela Smith, student  
in Louisville, and Robert Smith,  
student at St. Xavier, Cincin-  
nati, are home for the holidays.

The Ohio Packing Co. was op-  
ened for business in Columbus,  
and W. M. Beavers and son pro-  
vided the first cattle to be butch-  
ered.

## 25 YEARS AGO

Mr. and Mrs. Grover Ranck,  
who have been in charge of the  
Exhibit theatre, have been trans-  
ferred to Toledo, John DeWeese is  
the new local manager.

James Swearingen, Mr. and  
Mrs. Charles Niles, Charles Bell,  
and John Van Meter attended  
the International show in Chi-

cago. The apple display drew  
most of their attention.

Congo Tribe of Red Men has  
elected Charles Gentzel, prophet,  
and Charles Rolland, sachem.

## GRAB BAG

What is an antitoxin?

What Roman general left his  
plow to fight?

Who is governor of Indiana?

Correctly Speaking—

"Mean" indicates "lowly" or  
"base". Colloquial when used to  
mean cruel, vicious, unkind, or ill-  
tempered.

Words of Wisdom

To despise money on some oc-  
casions is a very great gain.—Ter-  
ence.

Today's Horoscope

Persons born on this day have  
much mechanical ability, good in-  
tellects, and strong wills.

Horoscope for Sunday

Persons born on this day have  
caustic natures, and do not always  
choose their words.

Answers to gorging Questions

1. The substance which which  
neutralizes the action of a toxin or  
poisonous ptoamine.

2. Lucius Quinctius Cincinnatus.  
3. Paul V. McNutt.

## Poems That Live

## THE HUMAN SEASONS

Four Seasons fill the measure of  
the year;

There are four seasons in the mind  
of man:

He has his lusty Spring, when  
fancy clear

Takes in all beauty with an easy  
span;

He has his Summer, when luxur-  
iously

Spring's honeyed cud of youthful  
thought he loves

To ruminate, and by such dream-  
ing high

Is nearest unto Heaven: quiet  
coves.

He has his Autumn, when his  
wings

He furth close; contented so to  
look

On mists in idleness—to let fair  
things

Pass by unheeded as a threshold  
brook:

He has his Winter too of pale mis-  
feature  
Or else he would forego his mortal  
nature.

—John Keats.

## Dinner Stories

## A GOOD THOUGHT

Bassler: They claim that when  
women adopted shorter skirts it  
reduced the number of street car  
accidents 50 per cent.

Rhodes: Wouldn't it be fine if  
such accidents could be prevented  
entirely?

## SCOTT'S SCRAPBOOK

by R. J. SCOTT



## DIET AND HEALTH

## What to Feed Youngster Over Three Years of Age

By LOGAN CLENDENING, M. D.

WE SPOKE yesterday of the sort  
of restraint we should use as to what  
children should and should not eat  
during the holiday season.

We must re-  
member that  
children over  
three have at-  
tained an al-  
most adult type  
of digestive  
machinery. The  
amount of  
things which  
they can eat  
includes a wide  
variety of  
choice. They  
may have any  
fresh vegetable  
except kernels

of corn, raw whole radishes, cucum-  
bers and coarse, fibrous roots. Very  
few of these are included in the ordi-  
nary Christmas dinner.

In cooking vegetables for children  
the minerals should be conserved as  
much as possible. Steam the vegeta-  
bles, cook them with very little  
water, and use the water as a sauce.  
Use the water in which you cook  
vegetables as a broth for cereals, and  
also use milk as a sauce for vegeta-  
bles.

Some children digest raw fruits  
well and others do better with cooked  
fruits. They should all have some  
orange juice, however. Stewed fruits  
should have no sweetening added un-  
less they are tart, in which case  
honey or corn syrup, brown sugar or  
sorghum are better than the more  
refined sugar.

Crisp Dessert Good  
Crisp breads, raw apples, celery, or  
raw carrot strips should be served at

every meal, and if possible end with  
something of this sort even after  
pudding or soft dessert. This will  
stimulate the gums and clean the  
teeth naturally.

Soups except vegetable soups, are  
not particularly good for the young  
child. They often take away what  
appetite a delicate child has, and  
they contain very little nutritive  
value of their own.

Going through the day with a child  
like this, breakfast should consist of  
orange juice or some other fruit,  
cereals well cooked, with milk, toast,  
and a glass of milk to drink. Bacon  
and eggs may be given to thriving  
children who have good appetites.

Lunch should include some sort of  
starch, as a baked potato. There  
should be a green vegetable, spinach,  
beans, peas or carrots; either meat,  
fish or eggs, a cup of milk, crisp  
bread and a pudding.

The evening meal will be larger as  
the children get older, gradually ap-  
proximating the adult standpoint. We  
suggest that the child should have  
a creamed vegetable on toast, a stew  
of a mixture of vegetables or a  
roached egg on toast, then a glass of  
milk, or occasionally a glass of choc-  
olate or corn, crisp bread and fruit.

Three teaspoons of cod liver oil di-  
vided between the three meals should  
still be administered to a child of  
this age.

EDITOR'S NOTE: Six pamphlets  
by Dr. Clendening can now be ob-  
tained by sending 16 cents in coin; for  
each, and a self-addressed envelope  
stamped with a three-cent stamp,  
to Dr. Logan Clendening, in care of  
this paper. The pamphlets are:  
"Indigestion and Constipation," "Re-  
ducing and Gaining," "Infant Feed-  
ing," "Instructions for the Treatment  
of Diabetes," "Feminine Hygiene," and  
"The Care of the Hair and Skin."

semi-tilted portion of the body  
suggested by the elevating  
of the left shoulder. Prop-  
erly done "TRUCKIN'" sug-  
gest the railway station redcap  
shuffling with a piece of baggage  
on his shoulder making a fast train  
for a late arrival trying to get  
on at grand Central. "TRUCKIN'"  
is the Park Avenue style now,  
because they always make late  
trains. At the Grand three nights  
starting Sunday Matinee Dec. 22.

## THEATRES

## AT THE CLIFTONA

Fleming with the genius of six  
inspired performances, Columbia's  
picturization of I. A. R. Wyllie's  
novel, "A Feather in Her Hat,"  
showing Sunday and Monday at  
the Cliftona Theatre, brings a  
supreme emotional experience.

Pauline Lord, First Lady of the  
Broadway stage, enacts the role of  
Clarrissa Phipps with beauty and  
restraint. You'll never forget Mrs.  
Phipps.

Basil Rathbone is Captain Court-  
ney, a real gentleman, not "a toff."  
Fresh from his triumph in "Anna  
Karenina," Rathbone scores again.  
Louis Hayward, sensational Brit-  
ish juvenile, makes his second role  
in an American picture something  
to be remembered. Noel Coward  
vouches for him. He's seen as  
Richard.

Billie Burke needs no send-off.  
There is only one Miss Burke, but  
you'll wish there were more after  
you see her as Julia Trent in this  
picture. Wendy Barrie, a charm-  
ing English girl, is Pauline, Hay-  
ward's sweetheart. And Victor  
Varconi, Continental as always,  
plays the part of Miss Burke's hus-  
band.

## AT THE GRAND

What is "TRUCKIN'"? The new  
dance craze that originated in  
Harlem at the famous Cotton Club  
Well, Dixie is finding out. The  
"Harlem" a brand new all colored  
musical farce is being shown in the  
Southern States for the first time  
by its producer Irvin C. Miller,  
noted Negro Broadway producer  
who is now in tour with his latest  
unit. Miller, a veteran showman  
of the halcyon days of Broadway  
is here IN



Social Happenings - Personals - News of Interest to Women

Past Chiefs' Club and Guests Enjoy Party

Thirty-six at Dinner; Mrs. Fitzpatrick is New President

A lovely party was enjoyed at the Wardell party home Friday evening when members of the Past Chiefs' club of the Pythian Sisters, their husbands and friends enjoyed their annual Christmas party. Dinner was served at 7:30 o'clock at a beautifully appointed table, covers being laid for thirty-six.

Exchange of gifts was enjoyed after the dinner hour and during a short business session officers were elected for 1936. Mrs. William Fitzpatrick was named president to succeed Mrs. John Ward; Miss Laura Mantle is the new vice president, and Mrs. Loring Evans, secretary-treasurer.

Cards were enjoyed the remainder of the evening.

The group at the delightful affair included Mrs. Ward, Mr. and Mrs. William Fitzpatrick, Mr. and Mrs. Turney Glick, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Nicholas, Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Newton, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stoffer, Mrs. Fred Newhouse, Miss Ethel Stein, Clarence Stein, Miss Alice Wilson, Mrs. Mable McCain, Miss Mantle, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Denman, Mrs. Milton Manson, Mrs. George Marion, Miss Nellie Bolender, Miss Florence Lathouse, Miss Clara Lathouse, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Wolf, Mr. and Mrs. George Valentine, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Hilyard, Miss Nellie Riffle, Curtis Burkhead, Mrs. Oral Storts, and Mrs. Evans.

**Merri-Makers Circle**

Mrs. George Forster's home on N. Court-st. was the scene of the Christmas dinner of the Merri-makers sewing circle Order of the Eastern Star Friday.

Mrs. Hazel Wead of Washington C. H., deputy worthy grand matron, was the only guest.

Exchange of gifts was the feature of the delightful social afternoon. There was a prettily lighted and decorated tree with the room and a center-piece of poinsettias and red candles were used on the table for the dinner at 6 o'clock. Covers were laid for twenty-five members and Mrs. Wead.

**Bridge Club Party**

Mrs. Homer Wright of Atlanta charmingly entertained her bridge club at her home Thursday afternoon. Christmas suggestions were carried out very attractively in the decorations.

Four tables of auction bridge were in progress throughout the afternoon and at the close of the game trophies were presented Mrs. Floyd James and Mrs. L. M. Tarbill. Mrs. James also received the traveling prize.

A white elephant exchange was the feature of the afternoon. A delectable luncheon served in the dining room preceded the afternoon's play.

Covers were laid for Mrs.

**Preparations Complete**

Preparations have been completed for the annual Mistletoe dance to be held this year in the Circleville Athletic club gymnasium.

Walt Sears and his twelve piece orchestra from Chillicothe have been contracted to furnish the music from 10 to 2 o'clock. This is the annual dance for charity in the city and is being sponsored by a committee under the chair-

Tender Words of Devotion



Wendy Barrie and Louis Hayward in "A Feather In Her Hat" showing at the Cliftona Theatre Sunday and Monday.

**Annual Mistletoe Charity Ball**  
At C. A. C.  
Friday, December 27  
10 to 2  
WALT SEARS' 12 PIECE ORCHESTRA  
\$2 per Couple

Committee  
Mrs. Robert Smith, chairman ..... Mrs. Donald H. Watt  
Miss Marian Hitler ..... Mrs. Paul Adkins  
Mrs. Ralph Morris ..... Miss Ann Bennett  
Miss Mary Newmyer ..... Miss Mary Radcliffe

CHRISTMAS DECORATIONS CHEERY

Express Hospitality Make Guest Feel Welcome



Elizabeth Allen wishes you a Merry Christmas as she peeks through the huge holly wreath which will be hung on her door; left, a miniature yule log decorated with pine cones and holly and holding red tapers, for a Christmas centerpiece; right, whitened twigs and geraniums are combined in a low bowl which holds five white tapers—a white Christmas centerpiece.

**Weldon's Entertain**

Mr. and Mrs. Lemuel Weldon, N. Court-st., entertained at a lovely evening bridge party at their home Friday.

Cards were enjoyed at four tables during the delightful hours and prizes were awarded high score winners. Mrs. Ned Groom and Robert Musser. A lunch was served after the game bringing the evening to a close.

Guests at the affair were Mr. and Mrs. Groom, Mr. and Mrs. Musser, Mr. and Mrs. John Eshelman, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Huston, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Noecker, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Adkins, Miss Evangela Smith, Vattier Court-right, and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Rowland.

**Scouts to Sing Carols**

At the regular meeting of Girl Scout troop No. 4 Friday afternoon in the basement of the Presbyterian church plans were made to go caroling Sunday evening.

Any interested girl scout is invited to go with the group, which is to meet at 8:30 p. m. at the home of Mrs. Ward Robinson, troop captain, 315 S. Pickaway-st.

Troop No. 4 will also have a Christmas tea at 1:30 p. m. Monday in the basement of the Presbyterian church, which all members are urged to attend. At this time Scouts will dress dolls to be given to needy children on Christmas.

**Women's Social Club**

The Women's Social club of the Presbyterian church held an enjoyable Christmas meeting Friday evening in the church basement.

Mrs. Charles Dresbach, president, opened the meeting with prayer and the business session was followed by a musical program in charge of Mrs. Clark Will.

Three beautiful Christmas numbers were sung by Mrs. Will, Mrs. James P. Moffitt, and Mrs. Melvin Yates. Their selections included "Silent Night" by Hayden; "The Virgin's Slumber Song" by Max Reger, and "Sing Noel".

Mrs. Tom A. Renick in her pleasing manner gave several readings including "The Origin of St. Nick," "The Substitute," and "The Night Before Christmas," the latter being an encore number.

The program closed with group singing of Christmas carols.

Refreshments were served with special Christmas favors and decorations being used. Mrs. Stanley Lewis was hostess chairman assisted by Mrs. Eli Roper, Mrs. A. D. Newmyer, Mrs. Carrie Patton, Mrs. Howard Jones, and Mrs. Ed Stephens.

The January committees were announced at last night's session. Mrs. T. A. Renick is chairman of the program to be assisted by Mrs. Theodore Huston, Mrs. Howard Orr, and Mrs. Donald Watt.

On the hostess committee are: Mrs. J. O. Eagleson, chairman, Mrs. George Goodchild, Mrs. Frank Marion, Mrs. Estella Ritt, Mrs. Morris, Mrs. Walter Nelson, Mrs. James Adams, Mrs. George Colville, Mrs. Marvin Dreishach, Mrs. E. S. Shane, Mrs. Leslie May, Miss Abbie Clarke, and Miss Mary McCrady.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Campbell and son, John, of Sedgewick, Kan. will be guests Sunday and Monday of Mr. Campbell's sister, Mrs. J. Wray Henry and Mr. Henry, N. Court-st.

Mr. and Mrs. George Crites, S. Court-st., will leave Tuesday for a few days' visit with Mrs. Crites' mother and sister, Mrs. Chris Eckert and Mrs. Lee Yunker and Mr. Yunker in Madison, Ind.

Kenneth Ulm of the Institute of Paper Chemistry at Appleton, Wis. was to arrive today for a visit during the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Ulm, N. Court-st.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Groce, E. Union-st., are expecting their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. I. D. Smith and children, Mary Jane and David, of Petersburg, W. V. to arrive Sunday for a few days' visit.

Hillard Gehres of Knoxville, Tenn. will come Sunday for a ten day's stay with his mother, Mrs. Erma Gehres, E. Union-st.

Mr. and Mrs. James Adams of Tazewell, Va., formerly of this city and son-in-law and daughter

of Mrs. O. H. Dunton, S. Court-st., were to leave Tazewell Saturday for Miami, Fla. where they will spend the holidays with Mr. Adams' sister, Mrs. Charles E. Cummings and Mr. Cummings. They were accompanied by Mr. Adams' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ward Adams of Altavista, Va.

Miss Mary Holman of Orange, N. J. will come Sunday to visit during the holidays with her father, Dr. A. W. Holman, and Mrs. Holman, S. Court-st.

Mrs. Mabel Walling, W. Mound-st., will leave Sunday for Wheeling, W. Va. for a two months' visit with her daughters, Mrs. R. D. Gill and Dr. Gill.

Harold Aronson of New York City is visiting his mother and brother, Mrs. R. Aronson and Norman Aronson, E. Main-st.

Mrs. Charles Dresbach, E. Mound-st., left Saturday for Kenton to visit during the holidays with her daughter, Mrs. V. T. Reber and Mr. Reber. Her grandson, Harold Dresbach, E. Main-st., motored her to Kenton and went on to Sycamore to spend the week-end with his aunt, Mrs. O. P. Kraft and Mr. Kraft.

Mr. and Mrs. John D. Hummel, E. Mound-st., will have as their Christmas visitors and a few days preceding the holiday their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Athey of Pittsburgh, Pa., who will arrive Sunday.

Mrs. Ann Silbaugh of Ashville left this week for Boston, Mass., where she will spend several months visiting her daughter, Miss Ruth Ann Silbaugh.

Miss Edwina Schlegel, a student at National School of Fine and Applied Arts in Washington, D. C. arrived home today to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Schlegel.

Mrs. Morton Gives Own Recipe For Cooking Spicy Boiled Ham

By MRS. MARY MORTON

**Menu Hint**

Boiled Ham  
Hashed Brown Potatoes  
Escalloped Corn  
Shredded Cabbage With Thousand Island Dressing  
Fancy Baked Apples  
Tea or Coffee

Parboil the ham unless you are sure it is not too salty. Wash it, cover with cold water, and let it come to a boil. Then pour the water off and cover with fresh cold water, let come to a boil, skim and boil gently until tender. I put some whole cloves, a tablespoon of vinegar, one of brown sugar, and a bay leaf in with the ham; more can be used. Spiced vinegar from sweet pickles also is good to add to the ham water.

**Today's Recipes**

**Escalloped Corn**—Three tablespoons chopped green pepper, one-half onion, finely chopped; two tablespoons butter, two tablespoons flour, one teaspoon salt, one-fourth teaspoon paprika, one cup milk, two cups canned corn, two egg yolks, one-half cup bread crumbs, one tablespoon butter, one-half cup buttered cracker crumbs. Sauté pepper and onion in butter five minutes. Blend in flour mixed with seasonings and milk. Cook stirring constantly until thickened and smooth. Add egg yolks, beaten, and corn. Turn into greased baking dish lined with bread crumbs. Sprinkle over with cracker crumbs, dot with butter and bake in a moderate oven, 350 degrees, until browned and heated through.

**Baked Date Delicous**

Fancy Baked Apples—One and one-half cups sugar, one-fourth cup water, six apples, one or two bananas, one tablespoon butter, six marshmallows. Make a syrup by boiling the sugar and water together three minutes. Core apples wide enough to hold banana slices and pare tops of apples. Fill cavities with thinly sliced bananas and arrange in a baking dish. Pour the syrup over them and bake about half an hour until tender, in moderately hot oven (375 F.). When done, dot each apple with a little butter and baste well with remaining syrup; then place a marshmallow on each and put back into the oven to brown.

**GRAND Theatre**  
Last Times Tonight  
EDMUND LOWE and  
DOROTHY PAGE in  
"King Solomon of Broadway"  
Educational Comedy  
Universal News  
1st Chapter of "The Great Air Mystery"

**GRAND OPERA HOUSE**  
THREE NIGHTS COMMENCING  
SUNDAY MATINEE DEC. 22  
30—PEOPLE—30

ON THE STAGE  
30 of America's top stars in a Hot Cha show of speed and spice!

**"HARLEM BROADCAST"**  
A RHAPSODY IN BLACK AND TAN

**CIRCLE THEATER**  
Sunday and Monday  
HELEN TWELVETREES in  
"The Spanish Cape Mystery"  
With Donald Cook  
Also News Cartoon  
1st Show at 6 p. m. Sunday

Celery Gives Crispness To Meal

By MRS. MARY MORTON

**Mean Heat**

Baked Bananas and Sausage  
Cornmeal Muffins  
Creamed Cabbage Cakes  
Tea

Somehow potatoes do not seem to be needed with this original dish of banana and sausage. There is enough starch in the rest of the menu to satisfy that need, and the celery adds the crisp, fresh touch.

**Today's Recipes**

**Baked Banana and Sausage**—Allow one banana for each serving with a third of a pound of bulk sausage for every two persons. Cut the unpeeled bananas in two lengthwise and lay on a shallow plate. Make a little groove down the center of each and spread the sausage on top. Place in a 450-degree oven for 10 minutes. Then place under the broiler for a minute to crisp the sausage. These are delicious with cornmeal muffins baked at the same time.

**Butterscotch Cake**—One-half cup shortening, one and one-third cups brown sugar, two eggs, one teaspoon vanilla extract, one and three-fourths cups pastry flour, two and one-half teaspoons baking powder, one-fourth teaspoon soda, one-half cup cold strong coffee. Cream shortening; add sugar slowly. Add unbeaten eggs one at a time, beating well after each addition. Add flavoring. Add flour, sifted with baking powder and soda, alternately with coffee. Bake in greased square baking pan in moderate oven at 350 degrees F. about 50 minutes. When cold cover top with your favorite frosting. Cut into squares to serve. Makes one eight-inch cake.

**The Boggs**  
TURKEY DINNER  
CHRISTMAS  
12 to 2  
\$1 Per Person

**CLIFTONA** LAST TIMES TODAY!

ON STAGE *Gwen Bennett*

**VANITIES**  
OF 1936

BROADWAY  
BOB CONN  
DANCING BLACKFACE  
8 RHYTHM ARISTOCRATS  
LILLIAN MITCHELL  
ACCORDIONIST BALLET  
SEIZER SISTERS  
FARSIAN SENSATIONS

8 VANITY SWEETHEARTS

AND ON OUR SCHEEN  
RAW-RED-BLOODED ROMANCE!  
FEARLESS FIGHTERS FACE TO FACE  
WITH GORILLAS WHO TALK WITH LEAD!

**Richard DIX**  
in  
**THE ARIZONIAN**

SUNDAY & MONDAY  
Lovers... before you kiss again  
... see the sweetest love story  
ever told!

**"A FEATHER IN HER HAT"**  
Pauline LORD Basil RATHBONE  
Louis HAYWARD Wendy BARRIE  
Billie BURKE



# HERALD SPORTS

## RED, BLACK EASY FOR CHILlicothe VARSITY OUTFIT

Locals Get Only Three Buck-ets; Winners Big and Hard-Driving Athletes

Minus the services of John Jenkins—and his illness hurt the Tigers more than one would expect—the local cage team had its four game winning streak broken, 9 to 23, at Chillicothe Friday evening. A large crowd that braved cold and wind witnessed the game. Circleville cage followers are not down-hearted despite the defeat since Chillicothe has a big, fast, hard-driving team and should go places this year. When a Chillicothe play started, the set-up was completed and anyone in its road went down. Referee Fritz Mackey was working a football game part of the time instead of what was supposed to be a cage game. The Ohio State frosh coach is a good official, and all that, but there is no denying the game was out of his hands a large part of the time. Four or five cagers, most of them Tigers, were sprawled on the hardwood almost anytime anyone was interested enough to look.

### Reserve Team Used

Chillicothe added five points in the first period while the Tigers went scoreless. In the second Andrews scored three for the locals, while the Red Devils were boosting their total to 14. The third session ended 18 to 6. In the last quarter Coach Jack Landrum inserted his reserve team while Chillicothe coach, Young, kept his regulars in all the time. In the preliminary, Chillicothe was also the victor, 21-13. Bremen has cancelled its game against the locals and instead Hemlock Central, wherever that may be, has been booked for Dec. 27 on the Hemlock court. The lineup:

Chillicothe—23	G	F	M	P	T
Higley f	5	1	3	6	11
Jones f-c	2	0	0	4	4
Cox c	2	0	0	4	4
Stranaher f	1	1	2	0	4
Sommers f	0	0	0	2	0
Trainer g	0	1	2	0	1
TOTALS	10	3	7	7	23

Circleville—9	G	F	M	P	T
Styers f	1	0	0	2	2
Jackson f-c	0	0	0	2	0
Francis f	0	0	0	0	0
Andrews f	1	1	1	3	3
Plum f	0	0	0	0	0
Kelson c	0	2	1	2	2
Henry g	0	0	4	0	0
Scott g	0	0	0	0	0
Priddy g	1	0	0	0	1
Pickard g	0	0	0	1	0
TOTALS	3	3	6	8	9

### It's Official!



BLOND Phyllis Jensen, star swimmer of Salt Lake City, is Utah's new champion fancy diver. She won her title off-shore during the recent A.A.U. swimming meet in Salt Lake City, scoring 92 points.

## Veteran Still Rides



HERO of English Derbies and other famous races, Jockey Steve Donoghue is pictured arriving in New York from London. He is on his way to Australia where he will continue to ride.

## MCAVOY CLOUTS RISK, CHAMPION

### British Light-Heavy Wins in First of Non-Title Go

NEW YORK, Dec. 21.—(INS)—The "alibi committee" lost no time today in explaining last night's one-round kayo of middleweight champion Babe Risko by Jock McAvoy, holder of the British middleweight and light-heavyweight titles.

In as savage an attack as has been seen since the never-to-be-forgotten Dempsey-Firpo sham-bles, the Britisher licked the 160-pound champ with his first right hand punch, but had to lay on two more rights and a couple of lefts before Risko stayed down for the fatal "ten." The end came in 2:48.

Gabe Genovese, Risko's manager, hopped right on the alibi bandwagon this morning with a bitter complaint he had been tricked about the weights. "We had a gentleman's agreement to fight at 165 pounds," he declared. "McAvoy weighed 168 1/2. We will fight him at the middleweight limit for the world's title within 30 days, if he will accept the match."

"Yes, I want that," Risko approved.

As for the fight itself, Jock plopped Risko to the canvas with a right to the jaw before the bell's echo had a chance to die away. The champ took no count, and came up to meet another right that sent him bouncing for the count of "6." He staggered up to run smack into a left that grounded him for "5," and got up to sit right down again at the invitation of a swishing left. A final left put him down for keeps.

### CENTER JUMP OPPOSED BY COACHES IN BIG TEN

CHICAGO, Dec. 21.—(INS)—Elimination of the center jump in college basketball today reflected the sentiment of middle-west coaches who have sought to speed up the game by this method.

At the same time, a majority of the Big Ten coaches saw no purpose in agitation for glass backboards in college games.

Nels Morgren, basketball coach at the University of Chicago, said: "I think the sentiment throughout the middle-west is for elimination of the center jump. The ball would be put in play from the sidelines. Most of the coaches I have talked to are in disfavor with the center jump. Its elimination would unquestionably speed up the game."

Concerning the glass backboard, Morgren declared:

"We tried the glass backboard here in the middle-west several years ago. There is no objection to it, but it adds nothing to the game except in cases where spectators' seats are placed behind the board."

"The rebound naturally is a little faster, we think, but not enough so to make much difference in the play."

An English movement is under way to find the man who invented the collar stud. A harder task might be just to find the stud.

## N. Holland Rallies To Win Again

Saunders' Team Comes from Behind to Defeat Pickaway; Darby Girls on Top

Some facts were established in the county league Friday evening. One of them is that no team can be certain of going through a year with a spotless record.

Pickaway grabbed a 17-13 lead at the half and was topping the Saundersmen 27-25 as the last quarter started. Fourteen personal fouls were called on each team.

New Holland girls, though unbeaten, were unceremoniously tumbled off their ladder as the Pickaway girls grabbed a 35 to 10 victory.

Darby-two girls established themselves as the top-notch team, to date, winning 37-4 from Jackson on the small Derby court. The Darby girls are the only unbeaten lassies in the county this morning.

In other games Darby boys beat Jackson's varsity, 14-10, in a rough game. Thirty-one personal fouls were called with the entire Jackson first string being benched for violations.

Perry-two, led by Schiering and Campbell, topped Monroe in a game played in Williamsport. The score was 27-21. The Monroe girls continued to have an outside chance for the title by returning to the victory column in a 13-9 game.

Ashtown played outside the county loop, drubbing Kingston 36-17 at Ashtown. Steinbrook was the big noise in the Ashtown offense counting 15 points. The Ashtown girls were vanquished, 30-11.

Several other county games were played during the week.

### COUNTY LEAGUE GAMES

Boys	Pickaway—29	G	F	M	P	T
Speckman f	3	1	0	0	0	0
Hosler f	1	0	0	0	0	0
Landman c	4	0	0	0	0	0
Ater g	3	3	1	2	0	0
H. Dennis g	3	3	1	2	0	0
TOTALS	14	6	9	11		

(New Holland lost Hosler and Pickaway lost Rhoades and Riffle on fouls).

Pickaway, 35; New Holland, 10.

### Girls

Boys	Darby—14	G	F	M	P	T
Tracy f	1	0	0	0	0	0
Seaward f	1	0	0	0	0	0
Green g	1	0	0	0	0	0
Ruff g	1	0	0	0	0	0
Harlan g	0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTALS	5	4	3	4		

Girls: Darby, 37; Jackson, 4.

### Boys

Boys	Atlanta—28	G	F	M	P	T
Campbell f	4	1	0	0	0	0
Leahy f	2	0	0	0	0	0
Young c	3	2	0	0	0	0
Staubach f	7	1	0	0	0	0
Hodges g	0	0	0	0	0	0
C. Gray g	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hoover g	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cline g	0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTALS	16	4	8	11		

Girls: Monroe, 13; Atlanta, 9.

### Boys

Boys	Ashtown—36	G	F	M	P	T
Gray f	4	1	0	0	0	0
Goetz f	2	0	0	0	0	0
Reid f	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mallory f	0	0	0	0	0	0
Young c	3	2	0	0	0	0
Staubach f	7	1	0	0	0	0
Hodges g	0	0	0	0	0	0
C. Gray g	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hoover g	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cline g	0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTALS	16	4	8	11		

Girls: Kingston, 30; Ashtown, 11.

### Boys

Boys	Kingston—17	G	F	M	P	T
Gray f	4	1	0	0	0	0
Goetz f	2	0	0	0	0	0
Reid f	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mallory f	0	0	0	0	0	0
Young c	3	2	0	0	0	0
Staubach f	7	1	0	0	0	0
Hodges g	0	0	0	0	0	0
C. Gray g	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hoover g	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cline g	0	0	0	0	0	0
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Mallory f	0	0	0	0	0	0
Young c	3	2	0	0	0	0
Staubach f	7	1	0	0	0	0
Hodges g	0	0	0	0	0	0
C. Gray g	0	0	0	0	0	0
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Mallory f	0	0	0	0	0	0
Young c	3	2	0	0	0	0
Staubach f	7	1	0	0	0	0
Hodges g	0	0	0	0	0	0
C. Gray g	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hoover g	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cline g	0	0	0	0	0	0
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Hodges g	0	0	0	0	0	0
C. Gray g	0	0	0	0	0	0
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Cline g	0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTALS	16	4	8	11		

## About This And That In Many Sports

### Reichert Some Boy

My, oh my—This guy, Tiny Reichert who stands 8 feet and 1 inch above the level of the floor, should pack them into the CAC gymnasium Christmas night—Reichert, his managers would have you believe, is just 21, he could light a cigarette from a



lamppost, weighs 365 pounds, wears No. 23 shoe, wants to be a professional fighter, cannot get into a telephone booth, has never been sick, eats like an elephant\*\*\*

Those are just a few of the things his managers point out as virtues—We rather imagine he can score baskets, too \*\*\*

### Good Sportsmanship

Chillicothe high school cheerleaders showed a real spirit last night—When Chuck Styers was bumped in the head in a scrimmage and was forced to leave the game, a cheer went up for the local cager—John Griffith was back on the squad Friday evening and saw some action in the reserve game; he caged six points—

### League Cagers Beaten

Central Buckeye league cagers had a bad evening, Friday—The Tigers lost at Chillicothe, 20-13, was nosed out, 13-11, by Dayton Fairmount; Grandview lost, 16-26, to Arlington; Marysville was dropped, 34-9, by North; Marion beat Delaware, 39-30, and Mt. Vernon took Westerville, 32-10 \*\*\*

### Some Cage Scores

East, 19; Marietta, 18; Central, 30; Lancaster, 19; Springfield, 32; Lima South, 24; Akron West, 24; Dover, 15; Akron Central, 27; Youngstown Rayen, 22; Barberton, 27; Kenmore, 22; Cincinnati Woodward, 27; Hughes, 20; Aquinas, 28; Liberty Union, 13; Michigan, 40; Wooster, 22; Nebraska, 41; Minnesota, 24; Kansas State, 39; Missouri, 25 \*\*\*

### COUNTY STANDINGS

Boys	W	L	PCT.
Ashtown	4	0	1.000
New Holland	4	0	1.000
Muhlenberg	3	0	1.000
Williamsport	4	1	.800
Atlanta	3	3	.500
Pickaway	2	2	.500
Monroe	2	3	.400
Jackson	3	3	.500
Scioto	2	2	.500
Darby	2	2	.500
Walnut	1	4	.200
Salt Creek	0	5	.000
Washington	0	6	.000

Girls

wooster, 22; Nebraska, 41; Minn  
sota, 24; Kansas State, :  
Missouri, 25 \* \* \*

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COUNTY STANDINGS



# THE TUTTIS

By Crawford Young



## CONTRACT BRIDGE

By E. A. SHEPARD, Famous Bridge Teacher

**PLANNING ATTACK**  
SOMETIMES IT is no better than a guess to try picking the best method of fulfilling declarer's contract. Today's hand offered such a problem to East, who studied the holdings of his side and the opening lead, and then chose the incorrect method of play.

Bidding went: West, 1-Club; East, 1-Spade; West, 2-No Trumps; East, 2-Spades; West, 4-Diamonds; East, 4-Spades.

The opening lead was the K of diamonds, and declarer was in with his Ace. From declarer's point of view, establishment of diamonds could be accomplished, giving East 5 spade tricks; no hearts required; a single low diamond trick could be

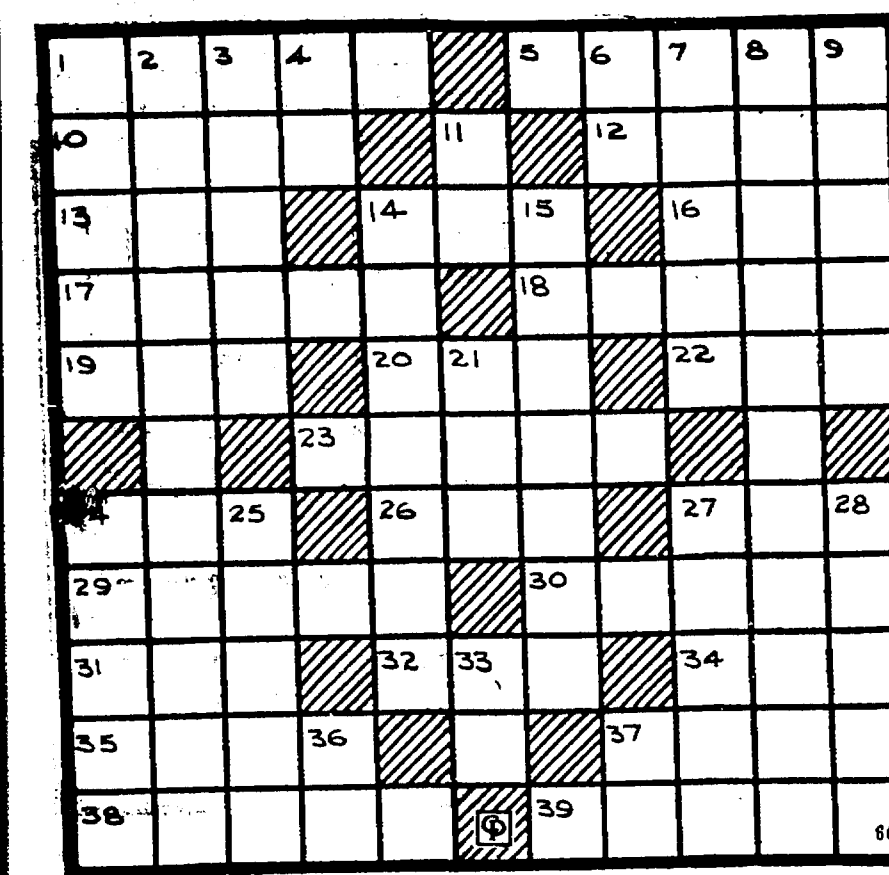
which red suit to discard. He let go his 3 hearts. Had the 6 adversely held trumps been divided 3-3, or had the 4 adversely held diamonds been held 2-2, all would have been well. With the two bad breaks of opposing strength, declarer was unable to capture 4 opposing spades, and at the same time stand being ruffed 3 times, and he went down on his game contract.

Suppose declarer had let go his 3 low diamonds on dummy's 3 club tricks, and kept his 3 low hearts. Declarer's first 6 tricks would have been the Ace of diamonds, Ace of spades and the 3 top honors held in clubs. After that have play go: lead the 9 of clubs, East will ruff. Lead the K of spades, then lead the J of spades, giving North the first defensive trick.

North will ruff declarer, by leading the thirteenth club. For the tenth trick declarer will lead his last trump, picking up the last missing spade, and leaving him with his three low hearts. The way East played the hand, each remaining player has just 3 hearts. Lead a low heart. South will play low. West's J of hearts will force North either to overplay with his Q, or to lose the one added trick required by declarer to make game. No matter how North plays his hearts he will win 2 tricks and he must give the boys a single trick in the suit.

Five spade tricks, 1 heart trick, 1 diamond trick and 3 club tricks, making a total of 10 tricks, just give East an easy game, while his pet method of playing the contract left him a trick down.

## CROSSWORD PUZZLE



### ACROSS

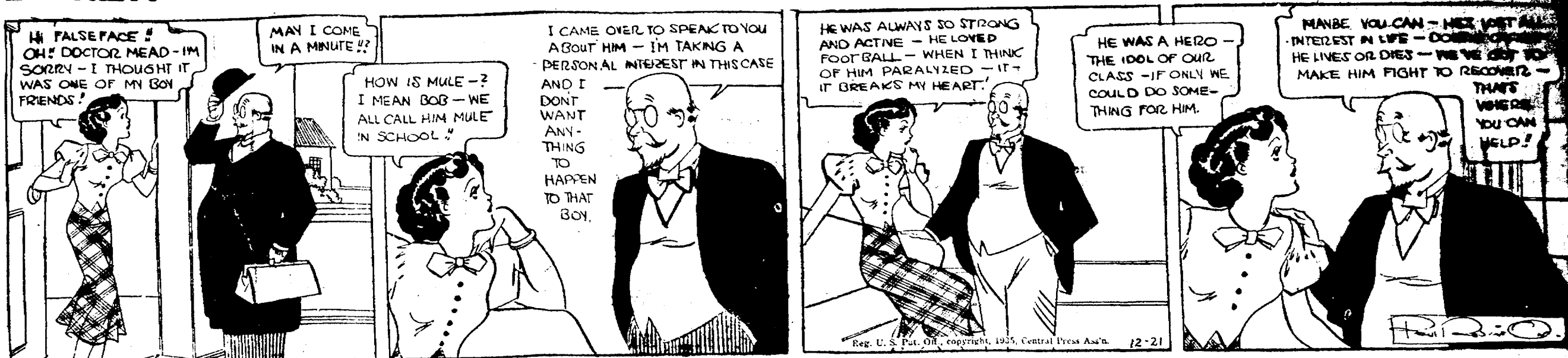
- 1-Strip of leather to sharpen razors
- 5-Birthplace of Mohammed
- 10-Neat
- 12-A snare
- 13-Rodent
- 14-Frighten
- 16-Consumed
- 17-Foe
- 18-Conclude
- 19-S-shaped
- 20-Not able to do something
- 23-Attempt
- 25-Athletic contests
- 27-A tool for smoothing boards
- 28-Taxes
- 33-Third note of the scale
- 34-Street (abbr.)
- 37-The three-toed sloth

### DOWN

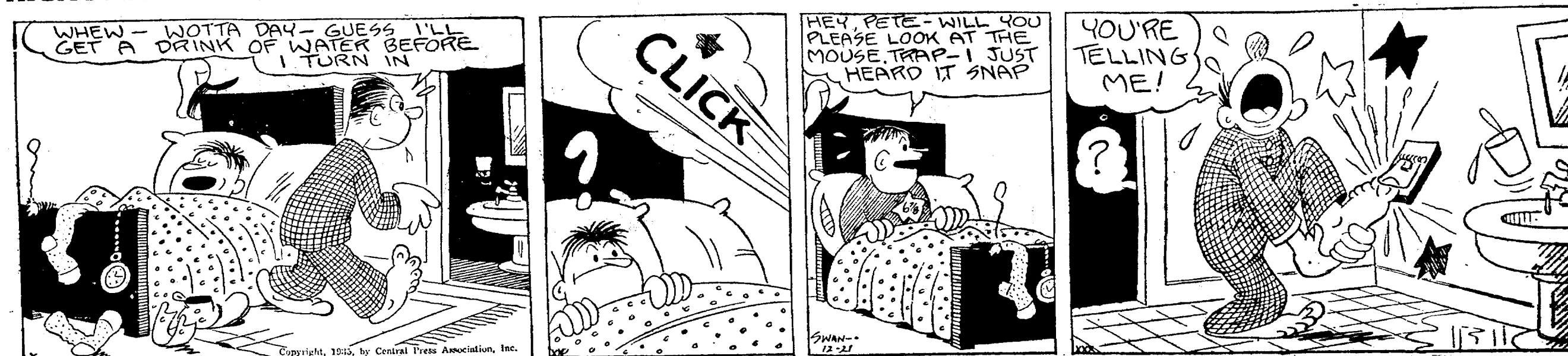
- 2-Kind of glass containing lead
- 24-Small pear-shaped fruit
- 26-A single unit of an abyss
- 29-A fresh
- 30-Masculine name
- 31-Fleshy tissue around a tooth
- 32-Printer's measures
- 34-Wholly
- 35-Crude metals
- 37-Analogous (abbr.)
- 38-Proofs
- 39-Graves
- 4-A Hindu mystic
- 6-And (L.)



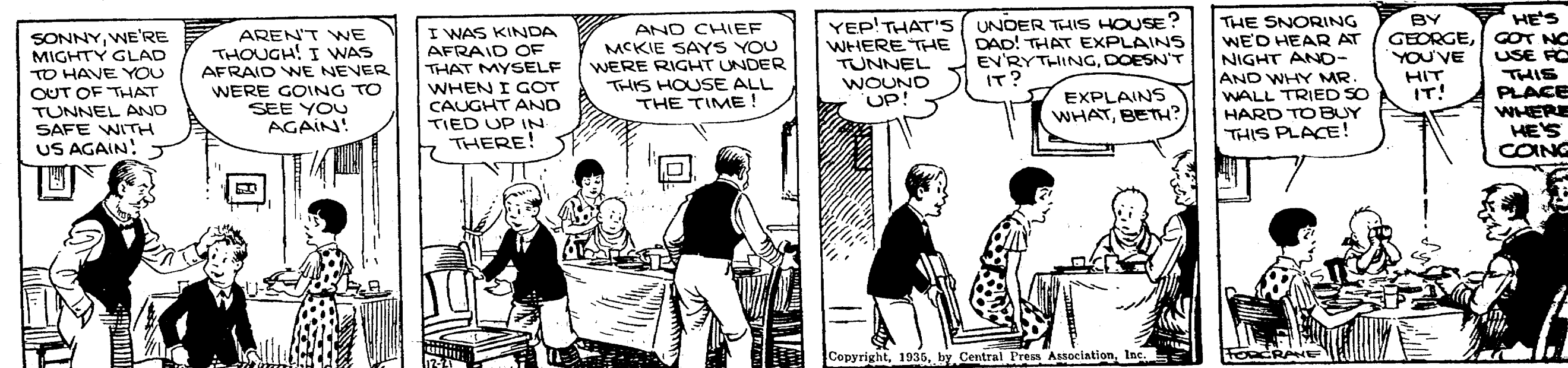
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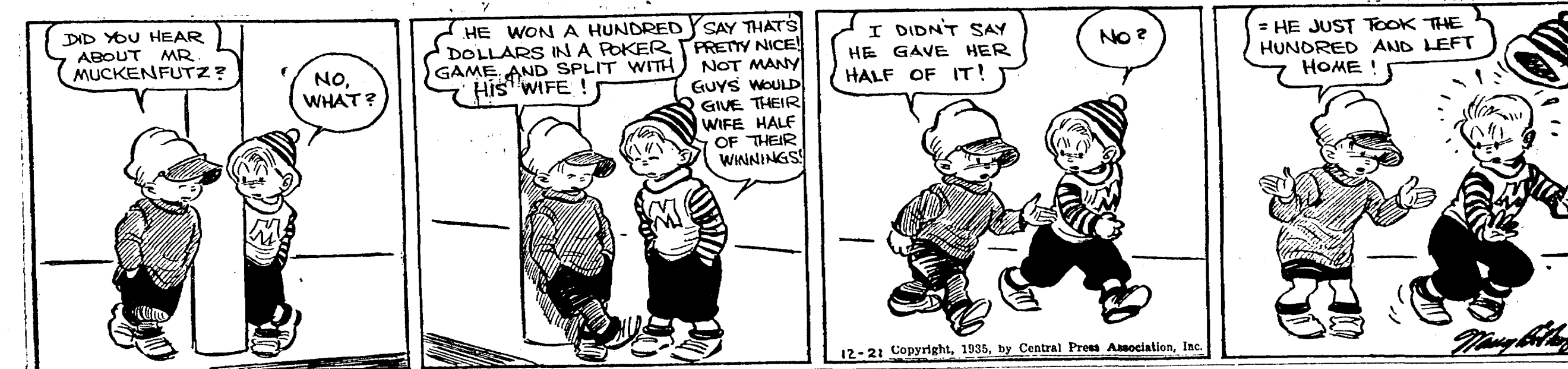
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# FARMS TO BE APPRAISED UNDER CORN-HOG PROGRAM

## MAY ANNOUNCES NEW METHOD TO HELP IN BASES

Community Committeemen to Have Important Role; All Farms to Be Valued

All corn and hog bases under the new adjustment program will be determined by the appraisal method which permits the assignment of equitable bases to cooperating producers. This is a new procedure under adjustment contracts, David May, county compliance agent, announced today.

Community committeemen, familiar with the farms in their neighborhoods, will make the appraisals. The county allotment committee will check their recommendations and iron out any inequalities that may exist among producers and among the various communities in the county. The state board of review will make such adjustments as are necessary in order to insure uniform treatment among counties. The farm of every applicant for a corn-hog base will be appraised.

Bases under the first adjustment programs were determined by the historical method only, using the average production figures for 1932 and 1933. The adjustments required from the historical basis, however, were unfair to some producers, Mr. May points out.

Committeemen, in making the appraisals, will take into account the type of farming followed, the land use practices, the kind of soil, the production in recent years, the lay of the land, the equipment for farming, and other factors affecting corn and hog production on the farm.

Fair bases to all contract signers and a proper use of the land are major objectives of the appraisal procedure. The establishment of fair bases will not only make the program attractive to a larger number of farmers, Mr. May says, but will make it possible for new producers to take part in the adjustment program.

Another mountain gal has killed her pappy, dissipating the idea that time in the hills is given over entirely to the singing of hill-billy songs.

## Court News

### MARRIAGE LICENSES

Raymond Howard Perdue, 24, grocer, Columbus, and Viva Mae Frances, Circleville.

Orville Newton, 57, driver, and Sophronia F. Brown, both of Ashville.

### PROBATE COURT

Noah G. Spangler estate, first and final account.

### COMMON PLEAS COURT

The Circleville Savings & Banking Co. v. Jack Taylor, doing business as the Taylor Motor Sales, action in replevin.

Ethyl C. Cook v. D. R. Rhea, answer and cross petition filed.

## Mainly About People

### ONE MINUTE PULPIT

When the wicked rise, men hide themselves; but when they perish, the righteous increase.—Proverbs 28:28.

Judge Harley M. Whiteraff, Logan, will be a candidate for the Republican nomination for judge of the Fourth district court of appeals.

Burdette Timmons, of Williamsport, who is seriously ill in Grant hospital, Columbus, is slightly improved.

Stuart B. Walling, clerk in the Portsmouth N. & W. shop, has been named a member of the advisory committee of the railroad's relief fund.

Ervin Leist, Watt-st has been employed as chemist at the J. W. Eshelman and Sons Milling Co. He began his duties the first of the week.

Frank Lynch, Coca Cola king, gave a half dozen bottles of the soft drink to each member of the school bands Friday as a holiday gift.

Mrs. Sam Williams of near Orient is improving in White Cross hospital, Columbus, after a major operation Tuesday.

The Kiwanis club program Monday evening in Hanley's tearoom will be under the direction of E. A. Brown. Readings and music will be presented. A meeting of directors for 1936 will be held immediately after the regular meeting.

R. H. Sponsler, Walnut-twp school superintendent will spend the Christmas holidays at his home in North Baltimore.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Althaus plan a trip in the south during the Christmas vacation period. Mr. Althaus is commercial instructor at Pickaway-twp.

### MILLS BACK "HOME"

LONDON, O.—Frankie Mills, 36, who was sent to the penitentiary for life for the murder of a Western Union messenger in Dayton and whose sentence was commuted to expire on June 1, 1937, is back at the London prison farm after a brief "vacation" from the Lebanon honor camp farm of the Lebanon institution.

Mills walked away from the Lebanon farm on August 19, and was returned to the farm recently from Berea, Kentucky, where he was recaptured.

Mills life sentence for first degree murder was commuted by former Gov. George White. The commutation will hold good, despite his walkaway from the Lebanon farm, officials of the prison farm reported.

Those Wisconsin war veterans collecting relics to portray the horror of battle might consider a bid on Ucdun after his argument with Joe Louis.

## THE OLD HOME TOWN

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## ITALY MUSTERS MORE SOLDIERS AS BRITISH ACT

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concentrated around Naples for speedy embarkation.

They will replace the division withdrawn several weeks ago to ease Italy-British tension, when it was vainly hoped that Britain would reciprocate by recalling some of her battleships from the Mediterranean.

The grand council had before it a first-hand account of the war from Count Galeazzo Ciano, Mussolini's flying son-in-law, who was made a member of the council when he returned from the front to reassume direction of the press ministry.

After carefully considering the European and African situations with all their grave possibilities, the council issued this statement:

"Italy remains inflexibly determined to continue foreign defense of this nation's inalienable rights. 'Disorientation and confusion in the enemy (sanctionist) camp makes it unnecessary to make any clear-cut statement on the peace proposals.

"The plebiscite of gold was proof of the powerful resistance Italy can offer against sanctions. 'Fascism's industries and agriculture have pledged themselves to resist to the end the vain attempt to suffocate Italy.'

The "plebiscite" took the form of gifts of wedding rings and other gold pieces all over the country on "faith day" Wednesday.

The council will meet again Jan. 18.

### COAL DEALERS WARNED

NEW LEXINGTON, O.—Under the Guffey Coal Act, producers of bituminous coal must file a return for the calendar month of November on or before Jan. 2, 1936, according to A. P. McGeague, internal revenue deputy collector here. Returns for December must be filed on or before Feb. 1, 1936. A tax of 15 per cent of the sales price at the mine attaches to all bituminous coal.

## MARKETS

### CLOSING MARKETS

Furnished by the Pickaway County Farm Bureau.

**CHICAGO**  
Hog Receipts, 8,500, 10c/15c lower; Mediums, 160-230, \$9.45 to \$9.55; Lights, 130-160, \$9.25; Sows, \$8.90-\$9.25; Cattle, 800, Calves 600, Lambs 1000.

**PITTSBURGH**  
Hog Receipts, 1200, steady; Mediums, 250-350, \$9.75-\$10.10; Lights, 130-250, \$10.10; Sows, \$8.75; Cattle, \$8.80-\$10.25.

**CINCINNATI**  
Hog Receipts, 1010, 10c lower; Heavy, 250-300, \$9.10-\$9.50; Mediums, 225-250, \$9.75; Lights, 160-225, \$9.20; Cattle, 150, 25c-50c lower; Calves 150, \$9.50-\$10.50; Lambs, \$11.00-\$11.50; Cows, \$3.50.

**INDIANAPOLIS**  
Hog Receipts, 1000, 15c lower; Heavy, 200, \$9.30-\$9.40; 225-300, \$9.50-\$9.60; Mediums, 160-225, \$9.20-\$9.30; Lights, 130-160, \$9.15-\$9.25; Sows, \$8.50-\$8.80; Cattle, 50; Calves 50, \$10.50; Lambs 1000.

## GERMANY BUILDS PLANE TO REACH U. S. IN 7 HOURS

Stratosphere Airliner Ready; First Tests Completed Successfully

BERLIN—Germany has stolen a march on aviation science of other lands and in secrecy perfected and completed a motor-driven heavier-than-air stratospheric plane, which is expected to reach New York seven or eight hours after leaving Berlin.

First tests of the "Ju 49", as the stratosphere traveler is known for the time being, have been completed successfully. Reliable sources explained to International News Service that average speeds of from 350 to 500 m. p. h. can be attained. German flying experts point out that the race to gain advantage in the air has thus been won by Germany against the United States, France, Italy and Soviet Russia, which also have been experimenting with stratospheric flying for intercontinental traffic.

The "Ju 49" is the product of the famous Junkers works at Dessau, Anhalt province, where scientists and the technical staff have been busy on it for five years. The isolated shed housing the machine now is guarded day and night to balk espionage.

The builders say that the "Ju 49" will travel at altitudes of between 35,000 and 50,000 feet. The major difficulty of feeding the crew and motor with sufficient quantities of oxygen at heights where pressure is 1-9 or 1-10th of normal has been solved, they believe. The cabin of the German plane is air proof and can be heated electrically, and a centrifugal blower supplies the cylinders of the motor with sufficient gas supply at all altitudes.

In contrast to French and American solutions of the breathing problem (on the French Farman stratosphere plane the pilot has to leave the air-proof cabin for hopping off and landing and in America the ill-fated Wiley Post used an airproof suit), ventilation of the "Ju 49" cabin is entirely automatic once the crew and passengers have slammed shut the doors. Oxygen generators such as used on German submarines provides breathing air and exhausts of special construction suck away the used air. Moreover, the plane is equipped with a special safety device providing fresh air for the occupants if the generators should fail.

A new feature of the German plane is that a crude-oil motor is used, reducing the dangers of fire and explosion. Specially constructed for stratosphere flying the motor develops no less than 700 H. P., with exhaust gases leaving the cylinders at a pressure of four atmospheres (kilograms per square centimeter.) They are compressed by a special centrifugal blower, which increase the pressure to about ten atmospheres. These highly compressed gases are used to drive the altitude super-charger fitted to the motor. Ger-

## GRADE OPERETTA WINS APPLAUSE OF LARGE CROWD

A large crowd of school pupils, parents, and friends saw the splendid presentation of the operetta, "In Quest of Santa Claus," put on by the first six grades and special education room No. 1 of Corwin-st school Friday night in the high school auditorium.

Too much can not be said of the manner in which the production was presented. The audience showed its appreciation of all four scenes of the play by its loud applause.

The main characters were portrayed by Virginia McDowell as Jang; Fred Barr as Santa Claus; Robert Kline, Wongaloo; Betty Gluthe, Kindness; Rosemary Brown, Helpfulness; Dorothy Reid, Good Will; Margaret Boggs, Unselfishness; and Gloria Reid, Love. The last five were Christmas fairies.

The remainder of the cast were in the choruses of rabbits, snowflakes, brownies, sunbeams, toy soldiers, dolls, and goblins. Miss Elizabeth Tolbert, second grade teacher, was director of the operetta and with the other six teachers deserves much credit for its success. Miss Marguerite Fohl was pianist for the entire musical play and the other teachers who aided included Mrs. Margaret Mills, Miss Helen Cellar, Miss Martha Reid, and Mrs. Channing Vierebome.

The junior orchestra under the direction of C. F. Zanglein played numbers between scenes and preceding and following the presentation.

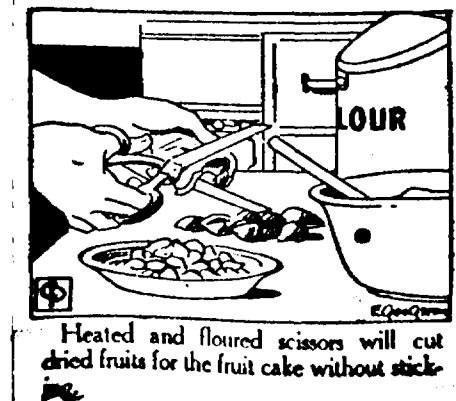
man experts say this German solution is more efficient and fool-proof than the French one.

To cope with the decreasing resistance of air in high altitudes, the propeller of the "Ju 49" is of the variable pitch type and adaptable for maximum speed at all altitudes. The whole motor weighs only 800 kilograms and fuel consumption is stated to be less than 25 percent of what gasoline fed motors consume, it was learned.

In addition to the non-explosive crude oil engine, the safety factor in the "Ju 49" is further increased by the fact that it can glide about 130 m. p. h. for at least an hour in case the motor should suddenly go dead in the stratosphere. Its designers point out that under such circumstances it should ordinarily be possible to find a safe landing place for emergency landings.

After all, when one has one of those jutting, rock-ribbed chins like Il Duce's something like the Ethiopian adventure has to be expected.

## Wife Preservers



## TAXES DELAYED UNTIL 1936

Collection Not to Start Until About March 1 in County

The December collection of real estate taxes and special assessments will probably not be made in Pickaway-co before March.

It was explained by county officials the state tax commission would not approve rates until the state legislature completed its work on the state tax program. The books for the collection are usually opened on Dec. 1.

## KINGSTON

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert H. Snyder were host and hostess to the Anniversary Club on Saturday evening at their beautiful home on Oak-st. A delicious dinner was enjoyed at 6:30 o'clock. The following members were present: Mr. and Mrs. A. Dane Ellis, Mr. and Mrs. Egbert Freshour, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Brundige, Dr. and Mrs. J. P. Gardner, Dr. and Mrs. R. E. Lightner, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Sunderland, Mr. and Mrs. Dennis H. Dreisback, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. McGinnis, Mr. and Mrs. Paul McGinnis, Mr. Floyd I. Rittenour, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Pyle and daughter, Sylvia Ann of Wilmington, and Mary Elizabeth Snyder were the guests of the club. The Pyle family were the weekend guests at the Snyder home.

Mrs. Henry Jones was called to Lancaster municipal hospital to attend a patient on Saturday evening. She was accompanied to Lancaster by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Hettlinger.

Electricity was installed in the L. A. Pyle property on N. Main-st this week. Kenneth Meadows did the installing.

We omitted in our report of the O. E. S. installation that the retiring matron, Mrs. Louise Morris, gave Mrs. Elizabeth Bennett, the retiring secretary, a beautiful gift and Mrs. Morris was the recipient of beautiful twin lamps from her corps of officers.

Among those shopping in Chillicothe on Monday were Mrs. S. C. Lightner, Mrs. R. E. Lightner, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Shannon, Mrs. A. Dane Ellis, Miss Mildred Holderman, Mrs. J. P. Gardner, Mrs. Clarence Jones, Miss Effie Richter, Mr. and Mrs. David McCorkle, Miss Katherine L. Brundige, Mrs. A. U. Brundige, Mrs. George Delong, Mrs. Charles Chambliss, Mrs. Mary Johnson, Mrs. Paul Kueathardt, Mrs. Jane Leist, Mrs. Margaret Dalbey, Mrs. Clarence Emrick, Mrs. Donald Kempton and Misses Laura Bush and Florella Dreisback and Mrs. Norman Ritter.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis H. Dreisback returned on Thursday evening from a trip to Montgomery, Ala., and Orlando, Fla.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Williams and daughter, Marie, of Frankfort were the guests of their son, Herman Williams and family on Sunday.

The Mothers' Council will hold its regular meeting on Saturday evening, Dec. 21, and will join the Scouts in their Christmas party with an exchange of gifts.

Mrs. Egbert Freshour, Mrs. Louise Morris, Mrs. George L. Borders, Mrs. A. U. Brundige and Miss Carrie Shepard attended the installation service of the Heber Chapter No. 62, Order of Eastern Star, held in Williamsport on Thursday evening, Mrs. Borders was the grand installing organist.

Mr. Stanley Neiswander, Ohio State university student, was the week-end guest of his brother, Rev. Neiswander and family. On Sunday morning during the public worship hour Mr. Stanley presented a vocal solo, "O Holy Night," accompanied by Mrs. Neiswander. On Sunday night the local O. E. S. members were the guests at the public worship hour. Mrs. W. D. Wood and Mrs. D. N. Fmuler presented a beautiful piano duet. The sermon by the pastor was a beautiful Christmas sermon.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Pontious are announcing the birth of a son on Saturday, Dec. 7. They have named him Victor.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Minshall are announcing the birth of a son on Wednesday, Dec. 11. They have named him George Richard.

Mr. and Mrs. Clem Atwood are announcing the birth of a daughter on December 13. They have named her Mary Anne.

I believe that national prohibition will be back by 1945 and with a more thorough enforcement than America ever has had before. — Bishop James Cannon, Jr.

## Bride for Day



IF LAURA HOVER, above, California beauty contest winner and daughter of the socially prominent Los Angeles oil producer, is looking perturbed in above picture, you may agree she has a right to. Laura says she eloped with Homer L. Loomis, Jr., son of a New York family, and that they lived together one day before he left Loomis says he can't remember anything about it.

## STORES PREPARE FOR STEADY RUSH OF YULE BUSINESS

Circleville, well known as a Saturday night city, was prepared today for the largest throng of pre-holiday shoppers in many years.

Local merchants have reported fine business during the last two weeks and are now ready for the last-minute rush period. Many have reordered stocks of both practical and luxury gifts, and extra salespeople have been added. "Last minute" shoppers will find the local stores have fine merchandise that will suit the taste of every member of their family and fit every pocketbook.

Food stores have delightful displays of choice fruits, vegetables, meats and Christmas dainties. Fine stocks of all types of Christmas merchandise, beautiful windows and street decorations make shopping and a trip uptown a real pleasure.

## JUDGES GATHER TO ARGUE CASES

Farm and Power Program May Be Debated in Meeting

WASHINGTON, Dec. 21.—(INS)—The Supreme court battle over constitutionality of vital Roosevelt administration laws moved toward a showdown today.

The nine justices of the high court met behind closed doors in conference today at which validity of the farm and power program of the administration may be debated.

Suspending arguments until January 6, the high court planned to devote its whole time to preparing decisions in the important cases before it.

While the court will meet for decision day on Monday, the session of January 6 loomed as one of which may either rock or fortify the administration.

Not only will the high court opinions affect the administration's acts, but they may either prolong or shorten the session of congress which begins January 3.

## SCHALL LITTLE BETTER

WASHINGTON, Dec. 21.—(INS)—A slight improvement in the condition of Senator Schall of Minnesota was reported today by Dr. George Calver, Congressional physician. The blind senator was critically injured Thursday night when struck by an automobile. "His condition is regarded as slightly improved," Dr. Calver said.

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